

BRYAN DELIVERS REPLY TO CHINDA

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for the Present at Least**

SUGGEST PRIVATE TEST

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The American reply to the last two Japanese notes on the California anti-alien land law was delivered today by Secretary Bryan to Ambassador Chinda who at once called it to Tokio. As in the case of the preceding notes, the contents of the latest one were withheld from publication.

Expected to Conclude Negotiations.
There is some expectation that the delivery of this last note will conclude the negotiations on this subject between the two countries for the present at least, if not altogether. It is declared that the American reply to the various points of objection to the California legislation has been made so complete as to remove most of them from the field of discussion. Even in cases where the Japanese contentions have not been manifestly completed the diplomats are said to have so framed their responses so as to reduce on the basis of judicial decisions.

Unless the Japanese foreign office concludes that there is something in the American note delivered today requiring immediate action and day requiring immediate attention and reply, probably there will be no further diplomatic exchange for at least another month. At the expiration of that time the Webb alien and growing bill will become effective and the way will be open for a judicial test of its constitutionality. The state department is looking to the Japanese government to at least take the initiative in securing a judicial determination of the question as to whether this act is in conflict with the existing treaties or whether it violates privileges to which the Japanese are entitled under the broad principles of international law.

Suggest Private Test of Law.
While Japanese negotiations have unofficially expressed the opinion that it was the duty of the American government to make this test following a precedent established during the Roosevelt administration in connection with the exclusion of Japanese pupils from the American public schools the state department has declined to accept this view. Officials suggested to day that the Japanese government would be in better position to resume the consideration of its grievance by diplomatic means in the event of an unsuccessful litigation if the test were initiated and prosecuted by a Japanese resident of California in a private capacity even though actually financially supported by the Japanese government. Some apprehension has been expressed by the Japanese over the difficulty of securing an early judicial decision on constitutionality of the California legislation. The state department officials, however, say they are prepared in good faith to facilitate the proceedings by every proper means, even to the extent of causing the attorney general to seek an advancement on the docket of the supreme court of such a case.

Will Present Exact Situation.
Mexico City, July 16.—Ambassador Wilson will lay before the administration at Washington the exact situation in Mexico but not before July 21th, the earliest he can reach the American capital unless quarantine is waived which would permit him to go by the way of Havana and Key West.

Rendered anxious by the long war the American residents were somewhat alarmed at the ambassador's summons to Washington but this fear was allayed to some extent by the knowledge that the secretary of the embassy Nelson O'Shaughnessy will remain.

Mexican officials show keen interest in the ambassador's departure but no anxiety, since they believe he will advocate recognition of the Huerta government.

Regard Intervention Certain.
Many Mexicans appear to regard intervention almost as a certainty. Some of the Mexican newspapers this week have devoted considerable space editorially to shape possibility of intervention and have urged Mexicans to forget their differences and unite for the defense of the fatherland. Impassioned letters in the same vein have also been published in the cafes and clubs conversation drifts to the subject of an international war.

Officers Capture Ammunition.
El Paso, Tex., July 16.—United States officers assisted by Mexican consular agents, captured the largest consignment of ammunition ever taken here when they discovered four Mexicans covering boxes containing 448,000 rounds of rifle cart-

RAILROADS SUBMIT LIST OF DEMANDS

**POSSIBLE COMPLICATIONS DEVELOP
IN WAGE DISPUTE**

**Men Will Issue a Reply Today—
Fears Expressed That Move Might
Delay or Prevent Arbitration Under
Newlands Bill.**

NEW YORK, July 16.—Possible complications in the proposed arbitration of the dispute between the eastern railroads and their conductors and trainmen developed tonight when the conference committee of managers submitted a list of demands which they insist must be arbitrated together with the men's demands for increased wages. The men announced they would issue a reply tomorrow. Fears were expressed that this move by the railroads might delay or even prevent arbitration of the dispute under the Newlands bill passed by congress and signed by President Wilson yesterday.

The demands of the roads as listed in their statement include a reduction in pay of 20 per cent of all brakemen on "extra crews" trains in states where the extra crew bill is now a state law. The roads further ask that all monthly guarantees to trainmen be abolished and that in no case shall double compensation be paid. The railroads insist also that the rates fixed and awards made by the new arbitration board be appointed shall supersede all rates and rules now in effect.

Representatives of the 80,000 trainmen and conductors who voted to strike unless the roads conceded their demands but who through their leaders agreed with the roads' representatives to ask for arbitration under the new federal law declined to have anything to say tonight on the new development as concretely brought to the front by the roads. They announced, however, that they would go into executive session early tomorrow and later issue a statement.

The road demands tonight were issued in the form of a letter made by the strike leaders. Statements during the day by the managers and trainmen were interpreted to mean that the discussion was had as to any demands the roads might be preparing to make. After tonight's meeting of the managers, however, it was conceded that the chief theme at the day's meeting was the roads announced intention to have all questions and not alone the trainmen's demand submitted to arbitration.

The day conference was a stormy one. It is declared, and both sides flit with the existing treaties or whether it violates privileges to which the Japanese are entitled under the broad principles of international law.

Has Not Selected Members.
Washington, July 16.—President Wilson tonight had not selected the members of the board of mediation and arbitration created through the Newlands act which it is hoped avert a strike on Eastern railroads. The president told callers that he had the subject constantly on his mind and was seeking about men who had been suggested to him.

It was said that Prof. Royal Meeker of Princeton University who has been mentioned for commissioner of labor statistics is among those being considered as well as Winthrop Daniels of the public utilities commission of New Jersey.

CHARLES E. RICE CHOSEN HEAD OF KNIGHTS OF KHORASSAN

**Officers Are Elected At Wednesday's
Session of the Imperial Palace At
Minneapolis.**

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—At today's session of the Imperial Palace of Khorassan, the following officers were elected:

Past Imperial Prince—Thomas H. Hine, Minneapolis.
Imperial Prince—Charles E. Rice, Buffalo, N. Y.
Imperial Basha—George F. Eubanks, Atlanta, Ga.
Imperial Secretary—Captain Charles Frye, Columbus, Ohio.
Imperial Treasurer—Charles V. Stansbury, Los Angeles.
Imperial Kadi—Rev. John H. Dickinson, Goldsboro, N. C.
Imperial Shiek—Lewis H. Snowden, Pearl, Ill.
Imperial Adool—Hillie M. Quinn, Jacksonville, Miss.
Imperial Ikfir—Gus Meier, Spokane, Wash.
Imperial Azlm—C. E. Halter, Washington, D. C.

M'GRAW SIGNS CUBAN PITCHER.

New York, July 16.—Manager McGraw of the New York National league team announced today that he had signed Emilio Palemoro, one of the star pitchers of the American league team of Havana. Palemoro is a big fellow, six feet tall, with tremendous speed as one of his chief pitching assets. The new Cuban pitcher will report to the Giants next spring.

ridges with coal in a car in the Santa Fe railroad yards. Today the prisoners were arraigned before the United States commissioner. An American believed by some of the officers to be the leader of the smuggling party escaped.

INTENSE HEAT CAUSES MANY FATALITIES

**FOUR DIE AND MANY PROSTRATED
IN KANSAS AND MISSOURI**

**Mercury Hovers at Points Between
100 and 112—Omaha Reports Two
Deaths—Heat Records Made in
Many Places.**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—Four deaths and a score of prostrations was the toll of heat today in Kansas and western Missouri, where the mercury hovered at most points between 100 and 112 degrees. Hot winds brought much distress. Some of the highest temperatures follow:

Concordia, 109.
Salina and Abilene, 108.
Minneapolis, Kan., 107.
Emporia and Belleville, Kan., 106.
Wichita, 100.
Clay Center, 112.
Topeka, 104.7.
Ottawa, 104.
Junction City, 109.
Kansas City, 102.
St. Joseph, Mo., reported 102 and Joplin, Mo., 105.

Temperature 104 at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., July 16.—Two deaths and a number of prostrations were recorded here today as a result of a temperature of 104. Lincoln reported a record of 107 degrees and scorching wind that damaged growing corn.

One Death at Dubuque.
Dubuque, Ia., July 16.—Numerous prostrations and at least one death expected resulted here today from the heat, the mercury reaching the high mark for this summer, 98.6 at 4 p. m.

Roundhouse Employee Dies.

Galesburg, Ill., July 16.—The mercury reached 102 degrees here today, the hottest of the year. A railroad roundhouse employee is dead from heat stroke and another victim is reported dying.

Burlington Records Broken.

Burlington, Ia., July 16.—The government thermometer registered 105 degrees today, the hottest day in local history in the present century.

One Dies at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., July 16.—Heat today caused one death. The thermometer at the government station registered 100 degrees for three hours this afternoon.

Hottest of Summer at Cedar Rapids.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 16.—The government thermometer registered a maximum of 104 degrees here today, the hottest record of the summer.

One prostration and one drowning resulted indirectly.

MAKE EFFORTS TO CONNECT

MRS. MORRISON WITH MURDER

**Police Refuse to Reveal Result of
Attorney's Call to Identify Woman
Prisoner.**

Los Angeles, Calif., July 16.—Efforts were made by the police today to connect Mrs. Ida Morrison, arrested as an alleged accomplice in the robbery of Jewell C. J. B. Carson yesterday, with the robbery and murder of Charles E. Pendell, a broker and money lender who was found dead in his office two weeks ago.

C. Y. Fuentes, an attorney, who said he saw a man and woman leave Pendell's office some hours before his body was found by Mrs. Pendell, was called upon to identify Mrs. Morrison. Afterward the police would not reveal the result but detective department officials doubted the force of officers searching for the man in the case. Mrs. Morrison admitted that she had given a fictitious name yesterday for her companion, the man who attacked Jewell Carson and made away with diamonds valued at \$4,000. She had said the man's name was Elmer Clayton. Today she declared that he was Elmer Vancil, a barber.

TORPEDO BOAT DAMAGED.

New York, July 17.—An accident to the United States torpedo boat Fanning was reported in a wireless message received here shortly after 10 o'clock this morning. The message reported the Fanning two miles east of the Fire Island light vessel with the after crew compartment of the torpedo boat filling rapidly. No details were contained in the message.

It has been learned that the Fanning had been taken in tow and an effort is being made to bring her in to port. It was not believed, the indications in the message being that the destroyer had developed a bad leak in a manner not definitely stated.

CHANCE TO ASK INVESTIGATION

New York, July 16.—It was reported today that Manager Frank Chance will ask an investigation of the recent trade between the New York and Chicago clubs of the American league, involving Hal Chase, Reile Zeider and Borton. It is said Chance claims he was deceived as to the men, that Zeider is not physically able to play ball and that Borton is not the player he was alleged to be.

FORMER CHICAGO

MERCHANT DIES

Elgin, Ill., July 16.—Thomas Todd aged 89 for thirty years a Chicago business man died at his home here this afternoon. Todd was the junior partner of the firm of French & Todd, wholesale paint and oil dealers. The firm is now the Chicago White Lead & Oil company.

RELATES PLANS TO CONTROL CAMPAIGNS

**Mulhall Swears to Auth-
enticity of Nearly Four
Hundred Letters**

NAMES PROMINENT MEN

**Witness Testifies Industrial De-
fense Council Raised Large
Sum to Oppose Legislation**

J. B. BIRD CALLED TO STAND

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Plans to make the National association of Manufacturers the controlling factor in campaigns for congress to defeat legislative in Washington, its members didn't approve, to get the ears of men who were running presidential booms and to land a member of the association in the cabinet of a president, were laid before the senate today.

Martin E. Mulhall, self-styled lobbyist for the association swore to the authenticity of nearly 400 letters which told of these plans and brought in the names of such men as former Presidents Roosevelt and Taft, the late vice-president Sherman, former speaker Cannon, former Senators Aldrich, Elemenway, Foraker and others.

Mulhall testified, too, that the National council for industrial defense an organization allied to the N. A. M., had raised between \$500,000 and \$700,000 a year to be used in opposing legislation its members did not like. He said this information came from a collector for the council and that he had no personal knowledge of it, except that he had been paid for political work from such a fund.

J. J. Bird Called to Stand.

J. J. Bird, general manager of the manufacturers' association and treasurer of the industrial defense council was called to the stand while Mulhall was testifying. Bird brought a carload of books and papers and turned them over to the committee. He refused to say who had contributed to the fund the council but he will be examined at length later.

The committee was to day informed that F. C. Schwedman of St. Louis, secretary to the late James W. VanCleave once president of the National association of Manufacturers had about 130,000 letters bearing on the association's work. Schwedman was in constant communication with Mulhall according to the latter's evidence. The committee was greatly interested in a letter which Mulhall swore he wrote to Schwedman on April 16th.

It told of a conversation Mulhall had in Washington with former President Watson of the Indiana in which the latter described at a two hour interview at the white house.

"He (Watson) said he was invited to the white house at 9:30 p. m. The president wished him to call so they could talk over the legislative program for the balance of this session, the president knowing that the other leaders of the house and senate. He stated that the main reason of the call was that Speaker Cannon, Vice-president Fairbanks and several other leaders wanted to find out how the president stood in relation to a third term. He stated that there were four things the president wished. First, that congress would stay in session until the 15th of May to receive the governors of the different states coming to Washington on that day; second to amend the Sherman law; third to have congress vote for four battleships, fourth, to pass a child's labor law for the District of Columbia, which would be a model law for the states in general.

Two Bills Impossible.

"Mr. Watson says he told the president that it was impossible for him to get through this congress two of the bills. First that Congress would only vote for two battleships; second, that congress would not amend the Sherman law. The president wanted to know why. Mr. Watson told him that almost the entire manufacturing interests of the country were against it. The president wished to know if Mr. Watson knew or had met Mr. Van Cleave.

Mr. Watson told him he had and that he knew Mr. Van Cleave well in touch with Mr. Van Cleave and that Mr. Van Cleave was a splendid fellow and knew what the manufacturers wanted. He stated that he talked along these lines with the president and finally the president did not pass to have the Sherman bill passed at this session of congress.

He then stated that they passed to the child's labor law and Mr. Watson asked the president who would draw this model bill. The president replied that he would have his labor commissioner, Mr. Neill, draw it, the president explaining that he merely wished this bill to be an academic bill for the states.

The letter closed with a reference to Mr. Watson's account of his efforts to draw Mr. Roosevelt out on the question of a third term. Schwedman told Mulhall in a letter early in 1908 "It is really a pity that we cannot get you to congress or to the senate right away. You are how to do things better and just another year of this harmonious cooperation will put us in shape where nobody can beat us." The letter was dated April 1st.

PUSHING TO OCCUPY BULGARIAN TERRITORY

**TURKEY AND ROUMANIA WORKING
FOR WEIGHTIER FORCE**

**Servian and Greek Premiers Have
Agreed as to the Terms to Be Im-
posed on Bulgaria—Malinoff Re-
ported as Danef's Successor.**

London, July 16.—Both Turkey and Roumania are rapidly pushing the occupation of as much Bulgarian territory as possible, not ostensibly with a view to permanent occupation, but in order to procure for themselves a weightier voice in the final settlement. King Charles of Roumania has gone to join his army headquarters, the Turks have occupied Luleburgaz, Bunarhisar and Viza and are marching toward Kirk Kiklisheh. The Greek army has occupied Nevrokop. The Servian and Greek premiers have held a meeting at Uskup and are agreed as to the terms to be imposed on Bulgaria.

Horrible details of alleged Bulgarian massacres and atrocities continue to pour in from Saloniki and the powers have appointed consular commissions to investigate these reports.

Malinoff Succeeds Danef.

London, July 17.—A Sofia dispatch to the Times says that M. Malinoff, the Democratic leader who was premier in 1908 has been appointed premier to succeed Dr. Danef at the head of a cabinet representing all political parties. The Roumanians the dispatch continues are advancing on Vratza, 40 miles from Sofia. They are reported to have already occupied Plevna and Varna. A St. Petersburg despatch to the Times said that Russia has notified Servia and Greece that if the claims are excessive Russian mediation becomes useless. It is added that the powers are not more likely than Russia to allow Bulgaria to be crushed.

Greeks Rout Bulgarians.

Athens, July 16.—The Greek army have occupied Nevrokop after an engagement with the Bulgarians which lasted all Tuesday. The Bulgarians were completely routed.

Official despatches report that only 120 out of 3,000 inhabitants of the town of Doxato escaped the Bulgarian massacre.

Servians Occupy Joutnikam.

Belgrade, July 16.—A Servian detachment by assault occupied on Tuesday afternoon Joutnikam an advanced position on the right wing of the Bulgarian army near Kuestendil. The Bulgarians fled heavily and fled in disorder.

Bulgars Sink Steamers.

Bucharest, July 16.—The Bulgarians have sunk their steamers and two torpedo boats in the Danube to prevent them from falling into the hands of the Roumanians.

Addresses Note to Powers.

London, July 16.—Roumania has addressed a note to the powers explaining that invading Bulgarians are aiming at crushing the enemy.

TO TRY SEVERAL PRUSSIAN

WAR OFFICIALS FOR TREASON

**Are Charged With Accepting Bribes
From the Krupke Company.**

Berlin, July 16.—Several officials employed in the Prussian war offices, holding the rank of officers, will be tried by court martial July 29. They are charged with accepting bribes from the Krupke company and with putting treason.

The institution of these charges is the result of an investigation of sensational allegations made by Herr Liebknecht, a Socialist, in a speech in the reichstag last April. He said that the Krupke company kept in Berlin an agent whose business it was to bribe army and navy officials in order to obtain an insight into official documents.

Leut. Anzeiger says that charges have been made against seven officers of whom one is the chief clerk of the commissariat department.

VON BOECKMAN WINS FEATURE

Wilmington, Del., July 16.—The Brandywine introductory for amateur, the feature of today's program of the eighth annual eastern handicap shoot, was won by Paul von Boeckman of New York city, who broke 99 of his 100 targets. Earl Lewis, of Auburn, Ill., and Vernon Williams, of Altigen, Pa., tied for second place with 98 breaks each.

Among the professionals shooting

for targets only, Charles G. Spencer of St. Louis was high with 99 breaks. H. J. Borden of Houston, Texas, Homer Clark of Altan, Ill., H. D. Gibbs, Union City, Tenn., and Mrs. Topperwein of San Antonio, Texas, had 98 breaks each.

CHARGED WITH USING

BLACKHAND METHODS.

Council Bluffs, Ia., July 16.—After a hearing before United States Commissioner W. F. Sapp of this city today, Andrew Bowling, a farmer living near Denison, Ia., was bound over to the federal grand jury on a charge of having mailed two letters to Banker George Naeve of Denison, thus using the blackhand methods to secure a sum of money.

AGED FLAGMAN GIVES LIFE TO SAVE FOUR BOYS

**THOMAS MCCARTHY OF CHICAGO
KILLED BY LOCOMOTIVE**

**Ran in Front of Train Shouting
Warning to Boys Who Jump Out
of Way—Big Four Flagman Du-
plicates Heroism.**

CHICAGO, July 16.—Thomas McCarthy a sixty nine year old crossing flagman gave his life to day at his post to save two boys eight and ten years old from death under a locomotive. The two boys were about to cross in front of a Pennsylvania railroad train at the one hundred and eighth street crossing in Hedgeswich. McCarthy waving his flag and shouting ran in front of the train to drive the boys back. The boys jumped out of the way but the old man was too late to save himself. He was killed instantly under the wheels.

McCarthy's heroism was duplicated by J. B. Perre, a flagman on a Big Four train who was killed saving a boy at Hammond, Ind. Perre who was attached to Train No. 29 on the Big Four, dived under a coach to save a boy who was trying to crawl under the train during his brief stop. He pushed the boy to safety but was caught himself and crushed by the car wheels. Perre lived two hours. He regained consciousness for a few moments but his only words were "did I save the child?"

PLAN FOR REFUNDING TWO PERCENT BONDS IS PERFECTED

**Provision Provides For Exchange
For Three Per Cent Twenty Year
Bonds.**

Washington, July 16.—The much disputed plan for refunding the two per cent government bonds which form the basis of the present currency was perfected today in the consideration of the currency bill. The provision provides for the exchange of the two per cent bonds which bear circulation privilege for three per cent, 20 year bonds, exempt from federal, state and municipal taxation both as to income and principal.

With other changes made in the bill the refunding section will retain the circulation feature of the present two per cent bonds up to the final date of the redemption. The committee also approved a re-drafted section providing that the proceeds in the business of the new federal reserve banks shall be applied to the reduction of the bonded indebtedness of the nation.

THOUSANDS SUFFER AS RESULT OF DUCK CREEK CLOUDBURST

**Twenty Bridges and Forty Houses
Estimated to Have Been Swept
Away in District Near Zanesville,
Ohio.**

Zanesville, O., July 1.—The full scope of the cloudburst Sunday night along Duck Creek in Washington and Noble counties was revealed tonight in a telephone message to a Zanesville manufacturer. A stretch of country 25 miles long on country twenty-five miles long on West Duck Creek and forty miles long on East Duck Creek was under twenty feet of water for about ten hours Monday. The waters rose five feet and hour and the people had no time to save any of their household goods. An urgent call for bedding and clothing has been issued by the 3,000 stricken people in that district.

It is estimated that twenty bridges and about thirty or forty houses have been washed away.

RAN JOHNSON APPEARS VEXED.

New York, July 16.—President B. Johnson of the American League who left this city tonight for Detroit, appeared both surprised and vexed to learn that Jake Stahl had been relieved of the management of the World's Champion Red Sox by President McAleer of the Boston Club. Johnson pronounces McAleer's action "hasty and ill advised" and adds that "Stahl was an honorable and competent manager and was highly esteemed in our league."

COMISKEY RIDICULES THREAT.

Chicago, July 16.—Charles A. Comiskey, president of the Chicago American League club to day ridiculed Frank Chances reported threat to take the Hal Chase-Rollie Zeider-Borton trade up to the National commission. Comiskey declares Zeider was in good condition when he left Chicago and that Chance himself saw Borton play and was impressed with his ability.

FOURTH ROUND FINISHED.

Chicago, July 16.—The fourth round of the men's singles in the Illinois Tennis championship at the Wanderers' Cricket club was finished today. L. H. Waldner defeated R. M. Hamilton, 6-2, 6-4. J. P. Seeley Jr., defeated A. C. Snow, 8-6, 6-1, and H. T. Byford won from F. H. Tarrant, 6-3, 6-2.

KILLED BY STREET CARS.

Chicago, July 16.—William B. Jacobs, 73 years of age, general secretary of the Illinois Sunday School association, was killed today when he became wedged between two street cars here.

AMBASSADOR GUTHRIE SAILS.

San Francisco, July 16.—George W. Guthrie the American ambassador to Japan sailed today on the liner Mongolia for his new post.

STATES STEP HAD BEEN CONTEMPLATED

**Bryan Gives Statement
Regarding Summons of
Ambassador Wilson**

SPECULATION IS RIFE

**It Is Generally Believed That
Wilson's Return to Mexico Is
by No Means Certain**

LONDON PAPERS INTERESTED

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Commenting upon the announcement early in the day that Ambassador Lane Wilson had been summoned from Mexico City to confer with President Wilson regarding the situation in Mexico, Secretary Bryan tonight said that this step had been in contemplation for some time. He refused to discuss a suggestion that this statement indicated the ambassador's recall was not brought by the action of the diplomatic body in Mexico City in formulating a joint complaint against the attitude of the United States toward the Huerta government. The secretary would not confirm or deny reports of the meeting of foreign representatives in Mexico.

Much Speculation Regarding Future.

There is much speculation in official circles regarding Ambassador Wilson's future, for it is generally believed that his return to the Mexican capital is by no means certain. Mr. Wilson was thrown into close association with General Huerta in the days preceding the overthrow of Madero and immediately afterwards. One of his first official communications to the state department after the coupe d'etat, resulting in the death of Madero and Suarez, suggested that he be authorized to extend the formal recognition of the United States to the new government.

President Has Reports.

President Wilson has received recently a number of reports from individual Americans, not connected with the state department upon Mexican conditions, so that he will be prepared to take up the discussion with the ambassador with considerable personal knowledge on the subject.

If the president should conclude that it is not necessary to return Mr. Wilson to Mexico, the American embassy there will be left in charge of Secretary O'Shaughnessy. Thus his status would correspond to that of the Mexican embassy in Washington which is under the care of Secretary Algara. Recognition of the Huerta regime would be involved in the despatch to that country of a new ambassador.

London Morning Papers Interested.

London, July 17.—The London morning papers are interested in the possibility of the United States being obliged to intervene in Mexico. The Morning Post in an editorial says:

"It would be a curious instance of the irony of fate if such a policy were forced on the Wilson administration, and as intervention would mean a long and costly guerrilla warfare, it may be assumed that President Wilson will not take action unless absolutely compelled to do so. But he cannot tolerate indefinitely the continuance of anarchy."

KILLED WHEN TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE.

Eagle Grove, Ia., July 16.—Raymond Adams, 6 years old, son of N. H. Adams of Eagle Grove, was instantly killed and four other persons were injured here today when Chicago Great Western passenger train No. 16 struck an automobile. In the machines were N. H. Adams, Raymond Adams, Lorraine Adams, aged 18 months; Leon Adams, aged 4 years, and John and Richard McDermott, both children.

MUST GET WITHIN LIMIT.

Keokuk, July 16.—Five clubs in the Central association were today notified by President Justice to get within the salary limit immediately or be fined \$200 in addition to the indefinite suspensions of managers. The clubs are Ottumwa, Muscatine, Monmouth, Waterloo and Keokuk.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Washington, July 16.—For Illinois: Fair south, thunderstorms and somewhat cooler Thursday or Friday night in north portion; Friday probably fair; moderate south winds becoming variable.

Temperatures.

Chicago, July 16.—The current, maximum and minimum temperatures for to day were:

Lago, July 16.—The current, maximum and minimum temperatures for to day were:			
	Current.	High.	Low
on	68	70	64
o	74	76	58
York	76	82	62
Oyleans ...	88	92	72
go	90	92	78
nit	74	80	60
na	94	104	60
aul	76	78	46
Francisco ..	58	64	52
Apge	78	82	62

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NICHOLS PARTY SAYS

GOOD BYE TO TSINING

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There was a large compound or inclosure and scattered all about it were stone tablets like gravestones, only there were no bodies under them, but they were erected to the memory of departed persons nevertheless. On we went till we came to another inclosure, and entering this were surely enough as near the infernal regions as one would care to go unless under compulsion. It was a large court, I should think 50 yards square, and about it was a building open to the interior and there was hell sure enough. It seemed as if the idea was to give in correct form some suggestion of the things that await an evil doer. There were arranged all around the great, long building 72 judgment seats, each presided over by a monstrous effigy in the shape of a human being, but ugly, fierce and horrid. In his hand he held a paper, evidently the verdict of the wretch before him and there were from six to a dozen images, all life size, arrayed about a victim, to whom were meted out all manner of tortures and it is said that persons having friends in the other world would visit the place and walk about the images and if at any place they would tear a garment they would then decide that punishment being meted out to the victim there was what their friend or relative was suffering.

The features were of all manner and kinds. One victim was cut in two, one was suspended by his hair, another was nailed by his hands to a frame, another was tied and fire applied to his feet, one poor wretch was bent over and a big board applied vigorously to his body, one was suspended with a stick through his frame, one was cut open, another skinned alive, still another had an arm cut off and another a leg, from one the entrails were being pulled out bodily, while from another the cue was being pulled out in a mass. One poor creature was being fed to a mill, while a dog below was licking up the ghastly grist that came out.

One sinner was suspended by his feet, while another was bound with his knees under his chin and still two others were on teeter, bound by nails through their hands and another was hung by his feet over a slow flame, another was made miserable with his hands tied to a pole and suspended opposite another similarly fastened, while condign punishment was meted out to another by sticking nails into his body and so on all around the area extending over six hundred feet.

At one side was a temple with horrid images of great size and armed with fierce clubs filled with nails, ready to be applied to the body of an evil doer and on the walls were great pictures depicting the various aspects of the infernal regions. Fire predominated everywhere, satanic creatures rose up in their might, helpless victims writhed in torture and everywhere the horrors of the place where bad people go were well portrayed. It is said the boxers visited this place and by gazing at the sights managed to work themselves up in a frenzy ready for the fiendish work and a missionary was one of their first victims.

Strange Fishing.

In some parts of this country fishing is quite an industry and is followed in a variety of ways, some of which are peculiar to this part of the world. They have nets unlike any others anywhere, but the cormorant method is different from any other. A man has a group of these greedy birds well trained and placing a ring on their necks puts them on a raft and leaves for the fishing grounds. The cormorant is a bird which will eat almost half its weight in a day if permitted, but it doesn't get the chance in this case. It can see a fish a long way in the water and when it gets a sight of one it dives after it and seldom fails to get its prey, but the ring on its neck makes it unable to swallow the fish and generally it will come at the call of its master and give up the

fish, or if slow he will have a long stick with a hook in the end and that he will attach to the ring about the bird's neck and draw it in.

The fish is put away and the bird sent after more and at night the ring is removed and the cormorants are fed the smaller fish, and so prove very valuable assistants to their masters. Fishing as a pastime is practically unknown, for the necessities of life are too stern and whatever has food connected with it must be followed as a business.

Marriage Customs.

It is when we come to matrimony that the wise Chinaman thinks he can give the American and many Europeans pointers. In this country the young people have practically nothing to say on the subject. It is regarded as the greatest possible breach of decorum and propriety for a young man to express the slightest preference for a young lady and should he do so, dire consequences would follow were he discovered. Once a young man who had been to America and seen how things were done there ventured to send a young lady his picture and a letter, all in a proper and decorous manner, but her father tried to kill him and he was most severely punished, while both were utterly criticised. A prominent native once speaking of the matter said that in some things our nation exercises control over the young, but when it comes to the most important choice in life they are practically permitted to do as they please.

There is a case on record in which a young man was pleased with a young lady and did so far as to ask her to ask his mother to arrange a betrothal, but he was careful not to be known in the matter at all. After two young people are betrothed they may correspond occasionally, but not meet, though betrothal is regarded almost as binding as the marriage ceremony itself, even though it may have been done when both were mere infants.

Betrothal is arranged by the parents and sometimes a go-between is employed. In country villages children of different places may be betrothed and sometimes betrothal is accompanied by adoption and the children grow up together in the same family, though the marriage ceremony is not performed till both are older and well into their teens. The two essentials of a betrothal are the exchange of presents to a value agreed upon as security for future maintenance. The eight characters are those of the year, month, day and hour of the birth of the young people and these are sometimes submitted to a fortune teller that he may compare the horoscopes of the two. Once exchanged and the gifts accepted the contract is binding and may not be reversed.

When the wedding day has been fixed the bride's clothing and other items are sent to her future home on red open trays in a procession with lanterns and music and there vary with the circumstances of the people. We have seen some that were very elaborate and must have been costly and belonging to people well to do, while in other cases the outfit was small and the bearers few. Great red envelopes with invitations to a feast are sent to friends of the family and on the day of the feast the brothers of the groom go with a "bridal chair" to fetch the "new girl," as she is called. Many times we have seen such a chair go by, but in all cases the seat is carefully screened, no matter how poor the occupant may be. The chair is heavy, made of wood, carried by four bearers, the sides and top right ornamented with red and gold carvings and the occupant is completely hidden from view, as is her sister whom we saw riding in a canopy borne camels in Egypt and Syria.

When the messengers sent for the bride arrive at her home the door is shut and a mock resistance is made, but a small payment to the door-keeper suffices and admittance is secured. The bride then comes forth arrayed in her best, sometimes wearing a crown similar to those we saw in Norway, while her face is covered with a thick, red veil and thus concealed she enters the chair which is hired for the occasion. At the door of the groom's house the bride alights and sometimes is lifted by two women, who are mothers of sons, over a gun of burning charcoal. The bridegroom meets her at the door and she is led in, still veiled, to bow before him. Then both stand in the middle of the guest room, which is as I have stated, a part of every well ordered house, and fall on their knees before a scroll containing the words, "Heaven, Earth, Sovereign, Parents," or else before a tablet inscribed with the names of the groom's ancestors. They then proceed to a side room and sit together on the edge of an ornamented red bedstead and there the red veil is removed and the groom, probably for the first time in his life, sees the face of his bride. Two little cups are filled with wine and drunk in silence, though the guests may converse if they choose. Then follows the marriage feast. In the guest room, while the doorway is filled with curious throng of neighbors and passers-by. Much mock ceremony is used in taking seats, each guest protesting his unworthiness in insisting on taking the lowest, which reminds one of the caution of the "Master regarding conduct on such occasions."

The tables seat eight persons each and are called the tables of the immortals. The bride remains in the side room and the groom acts as servant to the guests, often bowing and excusing the poor quality of the feast while the guests may rise and politely reply that it is a marvel of richness and elegance. There are many courses, according to the ability of the family, a tiny cup of two wine always preceding and a bowl of fat pork with small bowls of rice ending the affairs.

The first evening the neighbors crowd in to look at the bride and remark on her appearance and while it may all be good natured it can hardly be called very pleasant for

the lady herself. Early next morning, dressed in his best and borne in a sedan chair, the groom starts out to call on his senior friends and the wedding festivities are kept up three days and then the bride goes in a chair to pay her respects to her family, after which she belongs to her husband's parents and is especially under the power of her mother-in-law till she bears a son, when her position becomes changed and in due time she too may be a mother-in-law and lord is over her household or children. Here, as elsewhere, the stronger minds take the lead and the wife is occasionally lord of the household and yet a man born in this country and knowing the people well, if it were possible for any one to know them, said that 99 per cent of the women have at times tried to commit suicide, so cheerless are their lives and so lacking in incentive in any direction.

It is also regarded as rather bad form for a widow to remarry, though not forbidden and tablets and stone arches have been erected to the memory of brave widows who would commit suicide rather than marry a second time. The sad fact remains that the lot of women is a hard one, while the awful custom of selling wives and daughters for any purpose, right or wrong, is in vogue and very often practiced. Many wealthy men have women in the household who may not be their wives, only concubines, and nothing is thought of it. Of course, brains will tell when there is opportunity, as in the case of the recent empress dowager, but that is a rare exception.

Only one first rank wife is permitted at a time by the Chinese law and custom, but second rank wives are recognized among the wealthy, and in case the wife of the first rank has no son the children of the wives of the second rank are regarded as of nearly equal status. These secondary wives are but human and cause much trouble in their efforts to advance the welfare and interests of their children and through this cause some of the blackest of crimes have been committed.

When a person goes to the temple to pray the petitions are for long life, sons, riches and good luck generally. The women offer these the most earnestly, for until a wife bears a son she is nobody, while the husband desires a son to perpetuate his name and the ancestral sacrifice and to care for him in his old age, for the Chinese are, as a rule, respectful to their old relatives and their support aged parents, and gray hairs are sure of polite recognition. Many times the natives have asked my missionary companions my age, seeing my grey hair, and have been surprised that I was no older than I am, but have always been deferential on that account.

About Children.

A girl can be of no use in the family and her rearing is regarded as a burden and far too often it is avoided by means that are sad, as I have already told in previous letters, and there is no punishment by law. Funerals are only for adults, so that the putting away of a child may be easily accomplished and no one will have aught to say or trouble to cause. Then, too, one stops for a moment to wonder what would be the condition of the land if all the children born were reared. Marriage is at an early age and children are numerous and a well posted, careful writer, surely knowing his subject, says that 80 per cent of the babies born in China do not reach maturity.

For a month after birth a Chinese baby is nameless, after which, among the better class, a feast is given to friends, the little one's head is shaved and a "milk name" is given to it, and such name as dog, stone, cat, lion and the like are given in the hope that the evil spirits will not molest it. Later on different names are given, though not always is the milk name an unpleasant one. As soon as the little one can stand it is put into a frame of wood or twisted straw, with its feet on a board a little above the ground and its arms just above the top, so as to be out of the mother's way and at the same time safe and with a few simple toys the child can amuse itself for hours.

One thing seems so strange here all over the country. Mothers do not wean their children till the latter is three years old and then soft boiled rice is the food, if it can be afforded, but it must be remembered that millions of the Chinese cannot afford that food, for with them it is a luxury. Its head is often shaved, which makes the hair grow in after years and later a few years only the front of the head is shaved and the rear part is permitted to grow with the boys and in parts where the cue has been discarded the men wear their hair in all sorts of shapes. Sometimes they will shave all the head but a patch on top or just back of the top; sometimes they will let a patch grow in front and leave the rest to the razor, though this is the case mostly with the coolie class, the educated ones wearing their hair as we wear ours. As the boys grow older the cue is started and is often pieced out or lengthened with silk or black thread or cord so as to have it hang as far toward the ground as possible.

The girls wear their hair braided and it is almost always jet black and when done up with taste it is quite ornamental. The women who take pains to do up their hair rather becomingly, though they do not bestow as much labor on it as do their sisters in Japan, unless in the case of the better class, when it is fearfully and wonderfully arranged. Chinese children, as a rule, are merry and light hearted, unless the pinch of poverty is too severe, though they are hardly as full of fun as the children in Japan. The boys do not have marbles, balls and the like, but are supplied with whipping tops, stilts and kites. The latter are often of artistic designs, in the shape of butterflies, centipedes and other reptiles, while sometimes a number of smaller ones will be so attached as to look like a ferocious beast, and in the evening a candle will be suspended in a lantern and flown, making an interesting spectacle.

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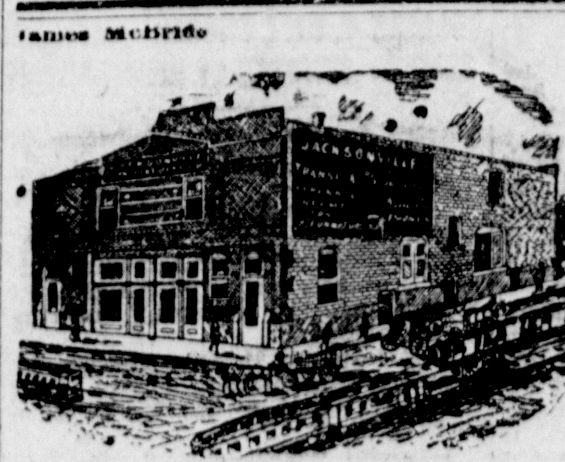
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CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Maggie Boston is visiting friends at Franklin.

H. J. Cullom of Franklin spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. J. M. Berry is spending a week with relatives in Loomis.

Mrs. Patrick Shanahan is visiting with home folks in Springfield.

Mrs. J. K. Allen entertained the C. W. B. M. Thursday afternoon.

Miss May Riggs of Chapin was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Keil of Sinclair was in the city shopping Wednesday.

Robert Coates of Lynnville was an auto visitor in the city Wednesday.

The C. W. B. M. cleared \$44 from their Fourth of July celebration.

Miss Enid Addison of Peoria is visiting with Miss Edna Sheppard.

Mrs. Ned Greenleaf of Alexander was shopping in the city yesterday.

Dr. W. T. Knox of Manchester was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Regular meeting M. P. L. 269 Thursday, July 17, 8 p. m. All members requested to be present.

Mrs. George Ebbey of Franklin was a shopper in the city Wednesday.

Frank Hunter of Sinclair was a business caller in the city yesterday.

C. S. Blakeman of Murrayville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

William Craig of Woodson was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Miss Jessie Allen of Clark's Chapel was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Douglas Beerup of Alexander was shopping in the city yesterday.

Harry Cade of Murrayville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. H. Hubbs of Prentice was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Harvey Scott was an automobile visitor in the city yesterday from John Welch of Winchester was a Jacksonville business visitor Wednesday.

J. H. Dial was a business visitor in the city Wednesday from Murrayville.

Mrs. J. M. Bush of Murrayville was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Rinda Harris of Alexander was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Paul Carey of Winchester spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. S. Duckwall.

Gus Henry and wife of Nortonville were among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Douglas Turley of the Bend was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

W. A. Wesner was among the Wednesday visitors in the city from Markham.

Miss Lena Hays of Manchester was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Verna E. Stewart of Franklin was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

William Craig of Woodson was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Thomas Batty of Beardstown was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

William McCurley of Woodson was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Thomas Claywell of Winchester was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Elmer Smith was among the visitors in the city yesterday from Crackers Bend.

Miss Bertha Christianer of Meredosia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Olen McLanar was among the visitors Wednesday from the Nortonville neighborhood.

John Taylor has a small gooseberry patch from which they picked 85 gallons this year.

Remember the ICE CREAM social with home made cake this eve at Baptist church, West State.

James O'Donnell of Winchester was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dinwiddie of Littleberry were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Louis Engel and children are spending a few days at the home of R. E. Wood at Pisgah.

Levi Berryman and son William of Franklin were among the Wednesday visitors in Jacksonville.

The Point church aid society set August 13 as the time for their ice cream social and supper.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Chapman of Manchester were among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John McFadden of Crackers Bend were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

The rain which came here Friday night was very much needed and was certainly appreciated.

Arthur Bush and family of Riggs-ton drove to the city Wednesday afternoon in their Mitchell.

William R. Russell and Allen Russell of Woodson were business visitors in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Cassell and daughter Pauline of Chicago are in the city for a few days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tinsington and niece of Franklin were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Ruth and A. Hutchinson of Mt. Vernon are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry of South Church street.

Miss Myra Self has returned from a three weeks visit in Kansas City and other places of that community.

Raymond Kelly who has been employed recently in Jacksonville has returned to his home in Nortonville.

Miss Dorothy Black has gone to Hastings, Neb., for a visit at the home of her uncle, H. L. McLaughlin.

Mrs. J. C. Andras and Miss Blanche Robertson of Manchester were visitors in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Miss Lora Cunnelle has returned to her home in Pana after a visit in the city with her sister, Mrs. Wilbur Hitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Morrison and niece and Mrs. Henry Becker of Arenzville were visitors in the city Wednesday.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Mount Zion M. E. church and of the Manchester M. E. church held a joint picnic at the home of Rev. Mr. Hardesty at Manchester Wednesday. Although the day was warm there was a good attendance from both societies and the time proved profitable in every way. The guests were met at the train by automobiles and at the noon hour a sumptuous chicken dinner was served. In the afternoon a program was given, the music being in charge of Miss Stella Covington and Mrs. Hardesty. Readings were given by Mrs. John Akers, Miss Match and Rev. Mr. Hardesty. The program was greatly enjoyed as was the entire day. Mrs. John Mutch is president of the Mt. Zion church society and Mrs. Belle Potts of the Manchester society.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Liberty M. P. church held a successful ice cream supper on the lawn of the school house Wednesday night. The evening was warm and a large crowd, many being in attendance from Jacksonville took advantage of the supper to get something cool and refreshing. The lawn was lighted by Japanese lanterns and accommodating members of the society and others who belonged to the church saw that all visitors were well treated and cared for. The society will use the neat sum realized to pay some benevolence promised for the church. Mrs. A. E. Sawtelle is president of the society.

CRESTON BUSINESS BLOCK BURNS. Creston, Ia., July 16.—Fire originating in the basement of a racket store and burning several minutes into the walls of other buildings before it was discovered destroyed an entire block in the business section of Creston this evening. The loss is \$75,000 with the fire still burning. The Ottumwa fire department was appealed to for aid but the fire was put under control before outside assistance arrived. How the fire started is now known.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mirror Fell on Child—Mary Lynn Culp, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Culp, 132 North Glenwood avenue, Springfield was painfully cut and bruised when a heavy mirror fell on her. The child was playing with a large mirror, hanging on the wall. She was amusing herself by the reflector toward her, and then allowing it to fall back into place, when pulling it to far forward it fell over on her.

Blood Hounds on Trail—Bloodhounds were put on the trail of the men who last Monday night entered the blacksmith shop owned by James Lynch at Rochester and mutilate a large five passenger automobile. The tires, lamps and seat were cut and battered and the engine was slightly damaged by the miscreants.

State Printer To Resign—Announcement has been made of the intention of Hiram L. Williamson, state printer expert, to serve his connection with the state. Mr. Williamson, an appointee of the late Secretary of state Rose is a member of the old Republican regime and has held the position of printer expert for a number of years.

It is understood that J. Frank Higgins, 3355 West Monroe street, Chicago, who leads the civil service eligible list for the position, which, 3355 West Monroe street, Chicago, who heads the civil service eligible list for the position, will succeed Williamson about August 1. Two men both of Chicago, have won places on the list. The other is Julius Plum 6749 South Green street, Chicago.

Arthur C. Glasgow of Springfield has been appointed to the position of assistant chief examiner and secretary of the Illinois state civil service commission. Mr. Glasgow succeeds Royce E. Wright, who last week received the appointment of secretary of the Minneapolis city civil service commission at Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. Glasgow has been identified with the state commission's office as stenographer for some time. He has headed the eligible list for the position he now occupies since its creation.

Lad Almost Electrocuted—Serving the purpose of an improvised and rather unusual kind of pulmotor, a garden hose, from which issued a stream of cold water, probably saved the life of Russell Pulver, an 8-year-old Springfield boy. The lad narrowly escaped death from electrocution. He found a rusty wire hanging from other wires. His curiosity got the better of him and he grabbed hold of the wire. He was shocked into insensibility and the fall to the ground broke the wire and the electrical connection. A woman watering grass in a nearby yard turned the cold water on him and probably saved his life.

Man Wins His Diamonds Back—Statements that Clarence O. Gerber of Edwardsville, Ill., who is suing Miss Catherine Lanham to recover two diamonds and an automobile, which, he says, he turned over to her, lavished presents on her to such an extent that his attorney advised him to cease, are made in a deposition by the lawyer, M. Lester Geers of Edwardsville. Gerber, in his suit to replevin the automobile and the two rings, also asks \$500 damages. Miss Lanham in an answer contends Gerber gave her the automobile and rings as presents.

WILL HAVE FOUR YEAR COURSE. The high school course at Murrayville will be changed from two to four years on account of the recent school law which requires townships to pay the tuition of resident pupils if there is no four year high school in the township. Prof. J. H. Dial of Murrayville was in the city Wednesday consulting with Supt. C. H. Montgomery as to the course of study.

CANTON DROPS FROM I-M. Bloomington, Ill., July 16.—At a special meeting of the Illinois-Missouri league here, Canton was refunded its guarantee fund, and dropped out. Pekin, which quit some days ago, was refused a return of its guarantee fund, it being alleged that the salary limit had been violated and various league and national association rules broken. The circumstances of Pekin's alleged offenses were fixed up by President Cline and turned over to Secretary J. H. Farrell for his information. It was voted to revise the schedule to conform to the new circuit and hold the league together this season in the hope of reorganizing with new cities next year.

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60c Linen Huck Towels, for quick clearance, each45c
50c Huck and Damask Towels, for quick clearance, each35c
75c 47-inch Dress Linens, oyster and natural color, for60c
65c 47-inch Dress Linens, oyster color, reduced to55c
45c 36-inch Dress Linens, all popular colors35c
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85c 70-inch All Linen Bleached Damask now priced at60c
75c 70-inch All Linen Bleached Damask now priced at50c
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THOMAS DENBY IS NINETY YEARS OLD
WILL CELEBRATE HIS BIRTHDAY TODAY.
His Wife is Also Living and Will Celebrate Her Ninety-First Birthday Sept. 16—Have Been Married Sixty-Seven Years.
It is doubtful if there is another couple in the state of Illinois, aside from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Denby, who live west of Jacksonville, who have been married sixty-seven years and both husband and wife ninety years old. Today Mr. Denby will celebrate his ninetieth birthday and on Sept. 16th, Mrs. Denby will celebrate her ninety-first birthday. If both live until December of this year, they will have been married sixty-seven years. For the past few years it has been customary for the family and neighbors to celebrate the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. Denby. The gathering this year, however, in honor of Mr. Denby will be a quiet affair on account of his feeble health. Last Saturday night he complained of having a chill and while he has not been confined to his bed the family thought it no best to do anything that would disturb him, so members of the family only will gather at the home to honor the occasion. Mrs. Denby has not been well, either, this summer, the hot weather being against her.
The history of the family is an interesting one and the following account is taken from the history of Morgan county by Dr. W. F. Short. It says:
Thomas Denby was born in Yorkshire, England, July 17, 1823, the son of Thomas and Ellen (Conder) Denby, natives of that country, the former being born in Lincolnshire. They had five children, namely, Hannah, who married Edward Lambert; Elizabeth, who was the wife of John Scott; Mary, who died in infancy; Ellen, deceased and Thomas who is the only living member of the family. Thomas Denby, Sr., came with his family to the United States in 1832. They left Liverpool April 3rd of that year, and reached New York the following August, the vessel having been disabled during the voyage by rough weather and compelled to put in the Maderia Islands for repairs. On arriving at New York the family went to Buffalo and thence via the Erie canal, river and team to Jacksonville. Soon afterwards Mr. Denby purchased a farm of 200 acres at \$12 per acre. Upon it were a double log house and log stable, and about fifty acres of the tract was cleared. Here the elder Denby lived until 1849, when he departed on a visit to England, dying on the ocean at the age of 55 years. The deceased was a man of practical ability, having assisted in laying out roads, organizing the schools, etc. His widow passed away a few months after his demise.
Thomas Denby was ten years old when he came to Morgan county. In early youth he attended the subscription school in the log house near his home, supplied with slabs and benches and punchon floor, but obtained most of his mental instruction outside of the school room. Mr. Denby has lived on his present farm since 1832, renting the place of his father, in 1845, and afterwards purchasing the interests of the other heirs. The fine residence which he occupies was built in 1857, from brick burnt on the premises, and all of the excellent improvements on the farm were made by him. He is now owner of 200 acres of land, situated four and one-half miles west of Jacksonville, where he has carried on general farming and raised choice Poland China hogs.
Mr. Denby was first married in 1845 to Martha Sparks, who passed away in March, 1846, leaving one child, who died when three years of age. In December, 1846 he was united in marriage to Mary J. Wells who was born in Scott county, Ill., in 1822, a daughter of Alexander and Mary (Chance) Wells, both natives of Pennsylvania. Mr. Wells came to Scott county in 1818. He was a famous hunter, and killed the last bear and panther known in this section. He died at Mr. Denby's residence at the venerable age of ninety-six, having served as captain in the war of 1812 and as soldier of the Black Hawk war and being deservedly a pensioner of the government. Mr. Wells was well educated for his time and was successful in all his undertakings. Finally, he had the honor of building the first log schoolhouse in Scott county. Mr. and Mrs. Denby are the parents of five children. William Thomas, who died at the age of five years; Mary E., wife of George Ransom, who lives near Lynnville, Ill.; Sarah E., who married George Killam and died in 1884; Hannah, wife of Thomas O. Graves, who lives in the vicinity of Jacksonville, and Anella, wife of John W. Leach, who lives west of the city.
Politically Mr. Denby is a Democrat, and held a number of township offices. Religiously, he and his wife are members of the Methodist church. His life has been distinguished by all those qualities, that characterize the successful pioneer, honesty, industry, patience, perseverance and firm resolution.

A Famous Window.
Yorkminster, in addition to its many other notable features, contains one of the most remarkable windows in the world, the east window, which is the largest in England, except that in Gloucester cathedral. It is seventy-five feet high and thirty-five feet broad. The window is divided into 200 compartments, all of which illustrate leading events in sacred history. Each pane of glass is three feet square, the figures measuring two feet four inches high. The upper part is filled with beautiful tracery and is divided from the lower by the narrow stone gallery which runs across. John Thornton of Coventry began the window in the year 1405. The ancient glazing, all of which he executed with his own hands, stands unequalled to the present day, and for this enormous task he received as wages 4 shillings a week for three years and £10 on completing his work to the satisfaction of the cathedral authorities.—London Graphic.

When Photography Was New.
When photography first began they used wet plates and a sitting required eight or nine minutes. A man once went to be taken, and the photographer put in his wet plate, demanded perfect immobility and took off the cap.
During the long exposure the photographer left the room a moment. On his return everything seemed to be going all right. But when the exposure ended and he rushed to his closet to develop the wet plate there was nothing on it but a blur.
Very much disgusted, he showed this blur to the sitter.
"You must have moved," he said.
The sitter looked at the spoiled plate and laughed in amazement.
"Well, I declare," he said; "who'd have thought that just running over to the window for a minute to see a drunken man would have done all that? I sat right down again."—Minneapolis Journal.

Baldness.
Men get bald more frequently than women, according to Dr. Guelpa of Paris, because they wear hard, heavy hats, they cut their hair too short and they eat more than women. Dr. Guelpa says the scalp is like soil and the hair like the vegetation that grows upon it. When the scalp is neglected the hair does not grow and its roots die. Just as grass dies when the soil is poor. A heavy, hard hat constricts the blood vessels that nourish the scalp. Clipping the hair short leaves its tender roots at the mercy of cold, heat and dust. The oil that exudes from around the roots of the hairs and keeps them nourished is coagulated by the cold and chokes up the matrix in which the hair is formed.—New York World.

Cautious Courtship.
A Scottish farmer's son had the misfortune to fall in love with two young ladies at once. The one was a tall, strapping girl, while the other was small and slim. The puzzled lover at last asked his father's advice. "Well," said his father, "there's sae muckle machinery used in farmin' nowadays that a big, active wife is no' o' muckle use, so I advise ye to tak' the little one. She'll eat less, anyway!"

MOORE SOLD TO CARDINALS.
Philadelphia, July 16.—Earle Moore, one of the pitchers of the Philadelphia National league club, was today sold to the St. Louis National club. It is said the purchase price was \$3,000.

MORRIS KNOCKS OUT CUTLER.
Clovie, N. M., July 16.—In a scheduled ten round boxing bout staged in an open air arena here tonight, Carl Morris of Oklahoma knocked out Marty Cutler, a Chicago heavy-weight, in the second round.

MRS. JULIA CLARK IS CALLED BY DEATH
Passed Away This (Thursday) Morning at the Home of Her Sisters on West State Street.
Mrs. Julia Clark, who has been seriously ill for the past three days, died this (Thursday) morning at 1:30 o'clock at the home of her sisters, Mrs. Lottie K. Hatch and Miss Fannie King, 830 West State street. For over twelve years Mrs. Clark has been an invalid and yet through all her illness she has manifested an uncomplaining spirit and a brave heart. About six weeks ago her physical strength began to leave her and for the past few days the attending physician held out no hopes for her recovery.
She was born in Lexington, Ky., and except for a few years spent in New York state she had made Jacksonville her home. Besides the two sisters residing here, she leaves another sister, Mrs. A. W. Atwood of Plattsmouth, Neb., who was here at the time of her death, and one brother, J. W. King.
Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Japanese Food Boxes.
"Japanese dishes fail to satisfy American cravings," says an officer in the United States army. "Imagine a diet without milk, bread, butter, jam, coffee, salad or any sufficient quantity of nicely cooked vegetables without pudding, stewed fruit and with comparatively little fresh fruit. The European vegetarian will find as much difficulty in making anything out of it as the ordinary meat eater. Along the main railroad artery neat little boxes of Japanese food (bento) are offered for sale at the principal stations at a cost of 7½ cents; also pots of tea, including teapot and earthen teacup, for 2 cents. The bento may contain in neat separate compartments prawn fish, chicken, rice, preserved ginger, johnnycake, omelette, a broiled mushroom, a slice of radish, glazed beans, kind of sweet pickle, tripe, a slice of cooked chestnut, licorice, etc. The bento is inviting to the eye, is garnished in green, is neatly wrapped and the contents varied as the resources of the locality admit."—New York Mail.

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LEIFIELD QUILTS BASEBALL.
Chicago, July 16.—"Lefty" Leiffield, for years a star pitcher in the major leagues will not join the Atlanta Club to which he was sold by the Chicago Nationals, he declared tonight. He left for St. Louis his home where he plans to enter business.

ELECTED PROVINCIAL.
Johnstown, Pa., July 16.—The Rev. Father Rappael of Spalding, Neb., was today elected provincial of the Franciscan Order of the United States.

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For Sale

One hundred and sixty acres three miles from Beardsboro, sandy soil, improvements poor; price \$40 per acre. This land is practically all in cultivation this year, rye, corn and melons. Will produce higher rate of return on investment than Morgan county black land.

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THE PROPOSED SCHOOL BUILDING.

The controversy now going on between members of the Board of Education and incidentally between the board and the city council with reference to school funds has arisen because of the methods the board has used in an effort to erect an eighth grade building by accumulating a fund of \$20,000 per year instead of going before the people and requesting a bond issue for the purpose.

The situation presented is this. The board has a building site bought and paid for and a fund of \$4,000 in the hands of the treasurer for the proposed building. A tax levy for another \$20,000 has been asked. If the original plans of the board were carried out the total sum thus provided would be sufficient to erect an eighth grade building. It would be possible as soon as the passage of the tax levy ordinance was assured to go ahead, advertise for bids, and proceed with the erection of the desired building. But the trouble is that as the years have passed since the first levy of \$20,000 was made that the ideas of the board have grown also and instead of a \$60,000 to \$80,000 building it is proposed to erect one which will cost from \$125,000 to \$160,000.

The plans as originally projected called for a building to cost about \$70,000 but after each individual member of the board added some feature which appealed to him particularly the total cost grew amazingly. The original idea for a building did not include the gymnasium and the fact that it was decided that the new building should include the gymnasium increased the estimated cost by one third.

The people of Jacksonville are not opposed to a new eighth grade building and would probably have voted in favor of a bond issue to erect such a building if the proposition had been put up to them to erect a building to cost say \$75,000. The majority of the people however are not in favor of a building to cost \$150,000 and do not believe that the ends to be attained would justify this expenditure. Such a building would be a nice addition to the school facilities of Jacksonville but too great a drain upon the finances of the tax payers. Such a building cannot be classed as a necessity.

The board as stated now finds itself with \$54,000 on hand in the building fund raised for the specific purpose of erecting a building and \$20,000 more in prospect. There is dissatisfaction because this fund is not drawing interest and because the money is not loaned out in some way where it can make an interest return to the board. The legal requirements for lending school money are such that it is hardly possible to lend the funds if there is any intention of using them within a period of years. The only other way that the board could secure an interest return from the funds would be for the treasurer to agree to pay interest on the deposits in his bank. There is no law which requires the treasurer to make such a payment and therefore it is hardly likely, in accordance with human nature, that he will come forward with such an offer. The treasurer receives a salary of \$300 a year as custodian of the funds of the city. Under the law now he is collector of special taxes, work which was formerly done by the city attorney, and receives no added salary or compensation therefor. He gives a bond of \$75,000. As treasurer of the board of education he receives no salary and supplies a bond of \$150,000. He alone is responsible for the funds and must make good any losses of any kind. He is legally subject to no one as to what he does with the funds as his bond is the school board's protection. In view of this responsibility the average treasurer figures that his

responsibility and his salary are not commensurate and that he is entitled to the advantage of carrying school funds without paying interest thereon.

In the past no treasurer has paid any interest on Jacksonville school funds and for the reason that the law does not require it. This is not given as a reason why no interest ever should be paid. Interest was not formerly paid on the balance carried by the city proper but the commission form of government law makes the good and wise provision that the city must collect three per cent on the daily balance it carries in the bank and during the past year the city received from this source, \$1,048.74. The law does not require that Jacksonville school funds shall be handled in the same way although such a law would be a salutary provision on the statute books. When the day arrives that all public funds are handled for the benefit of the people interest will be paid on all such funds.

At a recent session of the city council the resolution introduced by Mr. Hall calling upon the city council to request the treasurer to pay interest on the building fund or to deposit it where the fund will draw interest was passed by the vote of Mr. Hall, Mr. Rogerson and Mayor Davis. It was certified to the city council as provided in the resolution and the council declined to take any action on the theory that they have no control over school funds. It is a fact that they do not have control of the funds although it is also true that the treasurer whom they appoint by virtue of his appointment becomes custodian of the school funds. If the council directed the treasurer to place the school funds in any certain bank it is likely that the treasurer would refuse to do so unless released from his bond. If the treasurer refused to acquiesce in the demand of the council that he pay interest on the school fund then the council could require his resignation. In that event it is likely that some legal complications would arise as to what recourse the treasurer might have for his removal occasioned by a demand not based on law.

The suggestion made by one or more members of the board that the money on hand be used for simply enclosing a new building will not meet with favor whether or not this could be done legally. It would not be in accordance with good business judgment to start a building with funds enough only to enclose it and leave all the finishing and furnishing to be planned out afterward by others and at a cost to be figured out afterward. Neither would it be good policy to begin the erection of a building to cost \$150,000 with only about one third of the amount on hand.

The proposition seems just about like this. There is a vacant building site adjoining the high school which the board bought and paid for. There is \$54,000 in the building fund and in all probability \$20,000 more can be secured in the next tax levy. The money on hand was not raised to be loaned out. It was not paid by the people with the idea that a building to cost \$150,000 was projected. In the earlier additions to the fund at least, the money was raised with the idea of erecting a building to cost from \$60,000 to \$75,000. Why will it not be wise for the board to go back to its original intention and erect an eighth grade building adequate for the needs of the schools, at an expenditure of a sum of money which is now on hand or in sight? If this is done Jacksonville will have a substantial eighth grade building, the original idea of the board will have been carried out and there will be no discussion over the interest on the deposits in the building fund because the money will have been paid out and have gone into the channels of trade and business.

KEOKUK COMPANY WILL SELL POWER TO MANY

TRANSFORMER AT HULLS TO PROVIDES FOR DISTRIBUTION TO CITIES EAST.

Dr. Baker Saw Work in Progress and Heard Something of the Big Company's Plans—Will Not Sell to Consumers but to Distributive Companies—Writer in Independent Points Out Importance of the Great Dam.

Dr. E. F. Baker, who owns a farm in Pike county, often has occasion to visit Hulls, as his farm is near that town. Recently he was much interested in inspecting a transformer installed there by the Keokuk Dam company for the distribution of current to cities west of that point. Dr. Baker was still more interested in a statement made by a local representative of the company that work had begun on the transforming station for the distribution of current to points east of Hull. Later on during the same visit he visited this plant which is now in course of construction. He was informed also that it is the intention of the company to sell power to cities probably as far east as Decatur. It is true, however, that the sales will not be made direct to any city or private consumer, but will be made to distributing companies. This announcement no doubt accounts for some of the activity which has been going on during the past year in the securing of franchises for electric power and lighting and in the consolidation of smaller companies scattered throughout the state.

It is said that the Keokuk company will sell power in this territory to the McKinley syndicate and through them to private consumers. It is entirely possible that power furnished by the great dam can be secured at a lower price than it could be produced by the smaller companies and should result in a lower price for consumers.

Each Horse Power Supports Five. The magnitude and importance of the Keokuk dam project is pointed out in a clear way by G. Walter Barr in a recent article in the Independent. Under the title of "Water Power for the Million," Mr. Barr explains the work which has been done at Keokuk and emphasizes the importance of such engineering feats in relation to the country at large. Based on the theory that each horse power developed by a water wheel supports five people, he draws some very interesting conclusions. Some paragraphs from Mr. Barr's article in The Independent are given here-with:

"The real significance of a great spectacle is apt to be lost in the amazement which follows the first glance at its magnificence. The really important factors in a great work are not usually seen in lists of dimensions, figures and geometrical blue prints, however impressive these may be. Leaving to others the miracles in masonry and their details, this is a calm and analytical consideration of the real meaning to the American people of the wonderful water power development now practically completed in the Mississippi river at the junction of the states of Iowa, Illinois and Missouri.

New Phase of Water Development. The development of water power in the United States has been confined to the borderland of the nation in the past. The quantity of power produced by water wheels in the states not on our frontier is insignificant. The states along both oceans and those along the Canadian international line have more or less water

power in use, but the others are almost as destitute of turbines as they are of shipyards. With water power plants generally located among the mountains, the electric current generated must often be carried considerable distances, and even then is generally beyond the reach of factories depending on railroads to haul raw materials and finished products. The inevitable result is that the electricity from these mountain power houses is used chiefly for municipal public utilities, the running of street cars and interurban lines, and the lighting of houses and stores.

"The electricity generated in the power house in the Mississippi, however, will be utilized chiefly for manufacturing—and incidentally it may be stated here that its quantity of water power is exceeded by the total water power in only three states. It is this use of the power of the Mississippi at its mightiest for factories that is the most important thing about the Keokuk installation of turbines and generators.

Significant Figures.

"Experience carefully collated shows that each horse power developed by a water wheel supports five people; the factor of five is rather remarkably constant. If two-thirds of the shaft development of the Mississippi river wheels is used in manufacturing, it will furnish sustenance to a million persons—and this sustenance is developed out of nothing but scenery as surely could be the discovery of a method for making omelets out of marsh mud. What over one may think of the doctrines of Marx, the bringing into existence of perpetual sustenance for a million people by creating the necessity for workers supporting that many persons, seems a sociological achievement of much moment. In this particular case, this new industrial primogeniture is located in the midst of the agricultural garden of America; the million will find the plowman and the husbandman their nearest neighbors, and their daily bread growing in the adjoining field.

"The proximity of the farm products is of more importance than some economists realize. The commercial map of Europe, older than our own, shows that manufacturing has gradually and surely drifted to a habitat in the largest valleys, drawn there for food for the workers. America is just beginning this stage of evolution with the building of Gary, and the fact that the manufactured products of Iowa almost exactly equal the farm products of that superlatively agricultural state are evidences. This one Mississippi river water power harnesses horse power about three times that used in Iowa today and more than is used in manufacturing in the entire state of Missouri, with St. Louis and Kansas City and half a dozen other considerable manufacturing centers.

Low Cost Water Power Advantage. Cheapness is the only reason for the existence of water power economically, although commercially it has other advantages, among them the ease of carrying electric energy, the use of individual motors at machines and increased safety for workmen. This Mississippi river water power in the form of electric current is sold at a fraction of the cost of steam power in the section which has the benefit of the cheapest coal in the world. It is compellingly cheaper than any steam power. Conversely, the cheapest coal in the world will control the rates charged for power made from the Mississippi.

"This Titanic water power dropped into the Mississippi almost over night produces circles of waves of force reaching to contact with too many indirect results to be even catalogued here. Of course, those surrounding farms, so important to the factory operatives, will have a home market for their products enlarged by a million or so new consumers. The location of this new industrial force in the very center of the vast, team-

ing (Mississippi valley, with five-twelfths the area and half the population of the continental United States, spells the shortest aggregate haul for both raw materials and factory products; this is shown in lessened freight cost; moreover freight rates are actually controlled to a considerable and increasing extent by river transportation, which of course will always be in that territory."

CITY AND COUNTY

J. C. Kratz of Meredosia was a visitor in the city Wednesday. T. S. Hembrough was an Asbury visitor in the city Wednesday.

Samuel Zachary of Pisgah was in the city Wednesday on business. Mrs. George Sturdy was a shopper in the city yesterday from Lynnville.

Miss Grace Hinner of Meredosia was trading in the city yesterday. Haye Born of Petersburg was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles Fahey of Greenville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

J. C. Andra of Manchester was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

A. L. Hood of the Peacock Inn was in Chicago on business Wednesday.

Mrs. L. V. Gordon was among the shoppers in the city yesterday from Lynnville.

Richard Koepping of Virginia was visiting home folks in the city yesterday.

William Masters of Pisgah was a business caller in the city Wednesday.

J. M. Johnson of Carrollton was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. C. Bailey of Virginia was a Wednesday business caller in Jacksonville.

Thomas Coultas was a business visitor in the city yesterday from Markham.

May artin of Litchberry spent yesterday in the city on shopping interests.

B. Carten of Arenzville spent Wednesday in the city on shopping interests.

Dr. A. F. Streuter of Arenzville was in the city on professional business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gibbs of Riggs-ton were among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wheeler of this city are visiting William Alvord and family at Franklin.

Dr. H. C. Fortane and family of Litchberry were auto visitors Wednesday in the city.

Mrs. Lucy Mason of Alexander spent Wednesday in the city on shopping interests.

Miss Mayme Albright of New Berlin was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

William McCurley of Woodson was among the business callers in the city Wednesday.

William Feareyhouse of Lynnville was transacting business in the city Wednesday.

J. T. Bland of Franklin was among the Wednesday business callers in Jacksonville.

Mrs. John Clancy has returned to her home in this city after a visit with friends in Arenzville.

Miss Ruth Jackson went to Springfield Wednesday to visit her friend, Miss Theeling Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Brownlow of Chapin were among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Emma Corrington of Webster avenue left yesterday for a visit of two weeks in Springfield and Pleasant Plains.

Pitcher Ed Simms and Infielder John House of the White Sox went to Virden yesterday to play with the team of Virden at a picnic.

Mrs. J. C. Wilcox and daughter, Allie, of New Castle, Ind., were in the city yesterday on their way to Litchfield for a visit with friends.

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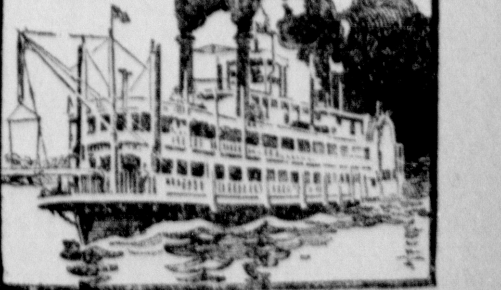
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LATEST NEWS FROM THE FIELD OF SPORTS

WATCHMAKERS TAKE AN EXCITING CONTEST

DOWN DUBUQUE BY SCORE OF
5 TO 4.

Bunched Hits Off Seaman in the Fourth, Fifth and Seventh Give Springfield Victory—Other Three Eye Scores.

Springfield, Ill., July 16.—Springfield bunched hit on Seaman this afternoon and won an exciting contest from Dubuque by a score of 5 to 4.	
Score:	
Springfield, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.	
Lofton, cf. 4	2 1 0 0 0
Wheeler, 2b. 4	2 2 3 2 0
Wakefield, 1b. 3	1 2 12 0 1
Clayton, rf. 4	0 1 3 0 0
Delave, cf. 3	0 1 1 1 0
Ludwig, c. 3	0 1 6 1 0
Baird, 3b. 4	0 1 1 2 1
Burgwald, ss. 2	0 0 1 2 1
Middleton, p. 4	0 0 0 7 0

Totals	A.	31	5	9	27	15	3
Dubuque,	A. B. R. H. P. A. E.						
Jude, lf.	5	0	1	1	0	1	0
Isaacs, 3b.	3	0	0	1	3	0	0
R. Daringer, ss.	4	1	0	0	4	0	0
Seibert, rf.	4	2	3	1	0	0	0
Maty, 1b.	3	1	1	11	0	1	0
H. Daringer, cf.	3	0	1	3	0	1	0
Boucher, c.	4	0	0	5	2	0	0
Erlewein, 2b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Seaman, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0

Totals	33	4	8	24	11	3
Score by Innings:						
Springfield	0	0	0	1	3	0
Dubuque	0	0	0	0	1	4

Summary.
Stolen bases—Seibert, Lofton. Two base hits—Wakefield, R. Daringer, Seibert. Double plays—Boucher to Beatty; Isaacs to Boucher. Reilly, Struckout—By Middleton, 5; by Seaman, 4. Bases on balls—Off Middleton, 5; off Seaman, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Seaman (Wakefield). Sacrifice hit—Isaacs, Boucher, Burgwald. Time—1:40. Umpire—Sullivan.

Davenport, 2; Decatur, 0.
Decatur, Ill., July 16.—Decatur's hitting slump continued to day and Davenport took the battle scoring both their runs on Decatur's only errors.

Crouch was unhittable in the pinch.
Club, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Decatur 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 2
Davenport 1 1 0 0 0 0 7 2
Batteries—Farnner and O'Brien; Crouch and Peters.

Bloomington 2; Quincy 0.
Bloomington, Ill., July 16.—Keupper was in form today and a feature was his hitting and fielding. Quincy secured but two hits out of the diamond.
Bloomington could not find Meyers except in the second and eighth.
Both teams gave their slabs men fine support.
Score: R. H. E.
Bloomington 0 10 0 0 0 1—2 8 0
Quincy 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1
Batteries—Keupper and Erloff; Meyers and Billings.

Peoria 5; Danville 3.
Danville, Ill., July 16.—Wallace's two base hit with the bases full in the second inning won today's game for the Shanties. Chapman pitched great ball thereafter, three great catches by Plack killing the locals' chances to score.
Score: R. H. E.
Danville 0 0 0 0 10 1—3 10 1
Peoria 0 4 0 0 1 0 0—5 9 1
Batteries—Chapman and Qulessier; Prendergast and Yelle.

GIANTS TROUCE CINCINNATI IN FOURTH GAME OF SERIES

Tinker Ordered Out of Game in Fifth For Objecting to Orth's Decisions.

New York, July 16.—The New York's made a clean sweep over Cincinnati, winning the fourth game of the series by the score of 5 to 3. Manager Tinker of the visitors was ordered out of the game in the fifth inning for objecting to Umpire Orth's decisions. The holding of Groh and Fletcher featured.

Cincinnati, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.	
Devore, cf. 4	0 0 2 0 0
Bescher, lf. 2	0 0 1 0 0
Marsaus, rf. 4	1 1 0 0 0
Dodge, 3b. 4	0 1 1 2 0
Hoblitzel, 1b. 4	1 1 10 1 0
Tinker, ss. 2	0 1 4 2 0
Berghammer, ss. 2	0 1 0 3 1
Groh, 2b. 3	1 2 5 0 0
Clark, c. 3	0 2 1 1 0
Suggs, p. 2	0 0 0 0 1
Packard, p. 1	0 0 0 0 0
Bates 1	0 0 0 0 0

Totals 32 3 9 24 14 2
New York, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Burns, lf. 4 0 1 3 0 0
Shaffer, 3b. 2 1 0 0 1 0
Herzog, 2b. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Fletcher, ss. 3 2 1 3 4 0
Doyle, 2b. 3 1 2 1 2 0
Merkle, 1b. 4 0 2 10 1 0
Murray, rf. 4 0 0 1 0 1
Snodgrass, c. 3 0 0 7 1 0
Snodgrass, cf. 3 1 1 1 0 1
Tesreau, p. 3 0 1 0 0 0
Totals 31 5 8 26 9 1
*Batted for Packard in ninth.
*Tinker out hit by batted ball.
Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 0 2 0 1 0 0 0—3
New York 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—5

Summary.
Two base hits—Doyle, Marsaus. Stolen bases—Merkle, Marsaus. Double plays—Tinker, Groh and Hoblitzel; Fletcher-Merkle (2). Bases on balls—Off Tesreau, 5; Suggs, 1. Umpires—Klem and Orth.

HOW THEY STAND.

National League.	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	54	24	.692
Philadelphia	45	30	.600
Chicago	43	39	.524
Pittsburgh	41	39	.513
Brooklyn	37	39	.487
Boston	34	45	.430
St. Louis	32	49	.395
Cincinnati	31	52	.373

American League.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	59	24	.711
Cleveland	51	34	.600
Washington	47	37	.560
Chicago	48	40	.545
Boston	40	41	.494
St. Louis	36	54	.400
Detroit	35	55	.389
New York	25	56	.309

American Association.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Milwaukee	57	26	.613
Louisville	52	38	.578
Columbus	49	37	.570
Minneapolis	46	42	.523
Kansas City	45	46	.495
St. Paul	37	49	.430
Toledo	38	52	.422
Indianapolis	37	55	.360

Three Eye League.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Quincy	43	38	.531
Dubuque	42	38	.525
Davenport	39	37	.513
Springfield	42	40	.512
Bloomington	39	39	.500
Danville	40	42	.488
Decatur	39	43	.476
Peoria	37	44	.457

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.
Brooklyn 4; Chicago 3. Eleven innings.
Boston 1; Pittsburgh 3.
New York 5; Cincinnati 3.
Philadelphia 4; St. Louis 3.

American League.
Chicago 0-5; Philadelphia 1-3.
First game ten innings.
St. Louis 2; Washington 3.
Cleveland 5-2; New York 0-4.
Detroit 4; Boston 7.

American Association.
St. Paul 2; Toledo 0.
Minneapolis 0-3; Indianapolis 4-2.
Kansas City 1; Louisville 2.
Milwaukee 6; Columbus 5; Nine-teen innings.

Three Eye League.
Springfield 5; Dubuque 4.
Davenport 2; Decatur 0.
Bloomington 2; Quincy 0.
Peoria 5; Danville 3.

Western League.
Topeka 2; Omaha 1.
Lincoln 3; Des Moines 9.
Wichita 4; Sioux City 1.
Denver 10-4; St. Joseph 4-1.

Central Association.
Burlington, 9-7; Waterloo, 2-9.
Keokuk, 6; Cedar Rapids, 1.
Ottumwa, 1; Monmouth, 5.
Muscatine, 5; Kewanee, 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

National League.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.

American League.
Washington at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Detroit.

BROOKLYN EVENS UP SERIES WITH CHICAGO, WINNING 4 TO 3

Take Hard, Uphill Eleven Inning Battle—Daubert Gets Four Hits in Five Times Up.

Brooklyn, July 16.—Brooklyn evened up the series with Chicago by taking an eleven inning game after a hard uphill fight 4 to 3. Daubert made four hits in five times at bat.

Wagner who relieved Allen in the eighth retired the next twelve batters in succession, not a runner reaching first base.
Score: R. H. E.
Chicago, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Leach, cf. 3 0 0 1 0 0
Evers, 2b. 5 0 0 1 5 0
Schulte, rf. 5 1 2 1 0 0
Phelan, 3b. 3 2 1 5 1 0
Saier, 1b. 4 0 2 9 0 0
Mitchell, lf. 2 0 0 2 0 0
Corridan, ss. 3 0 0 9 2 1
Brennan, c. 3 0 0 9 2 1
Lavender, p. 4 0 0 0 3 0

Totals 33 3 6 31 15 1
Brooklyn, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Moran, rf. 3 2 1 3 0 0
Cutshaw, 2b. 4 0 0 4 10 0
Meyer, cf. 5 1 0 1 0 0
Wheat, lf. 4 0 2 2 0 0
Daubert, 1b. 5 1 4 16 0 0
Smith, 3b. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Hummel, ss. 5 0 1 4 2 0
Fischer, c. 3 0 1 5 2 0
Allen, p. 2 0 0 1 0 0
*Callahan 1 0 0 0 0 0
Wagner, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 37 4 10 33 17 0
*One out when winning run scored.
*Batted for Allen in seventh.
Score by Innings:
Chicago 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—3
Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—4
Summary.
Stolen bases—Meyers, Wheat. Bases on balls—Off Allen 5; off Lavender 5. Struckout—By Allen 4; Wagner 1; by Lavender 6. Umpires—Brennan and Eason.

PHILADELPHIA AND CHICAGO DIVIDE HONORS

SOME OFF-SIDE CHUTES

BROWN HOLDS SOX TO THREE
HITS IN FIRST.

A Single in the Tenth By Murphy Scored Barry With the Winning Run—Russell Comes to Rescue of Chicago in the Second Contest.

Chicago, July 16.—Chicago and Philadelphia divided honors today, the former losing the initial game nothing to one after ten hard fought innings and winning the second 5 to 3.

Pitcher Brown of the visitors opposed Chicago in the opening game and held the locals to three scattered hits but retired in favor of Bender who was sent in when Strunk batted for Brown in the tenth inning. A single by Murphy who had previously singled, with the winning run. In the second game, Tex Russell came to the rescue on the mound and held the enemy safe and then delivered the hit, a triple which sent two runners across the plate, clinching the game. Scores:

First Game. R. H. E.
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 8 0
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 0
*Batteries—Brown, Bender and Lapp, Schang; Cicotte and Schalk.

Second Game.
Philadelphia, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Murphy, rf. 3 1 2 2 0 0
Daley, cf. 3 0 0 1 0 0
E. Collins, 2b. 3 2 2 0 0 0
Baker, 3b. 3 0 1 2 0 0
McInnis, 1b. 4 0 2 5 0 0
Oldring, lf. 5 0 1 4 0 0
Barry, ss. 5 0 0 2 4 2
Lapp, c. 3 0 1 4 1 0
Schang, c. 0 0 0 3 0 0
Shawkey, p. 2 0 0 0 0 1
*Strunk 1 0 0 0 0 0
Bender, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 32 3 9 24 7 3
*Batted for Shawkey in eighth.
Chicago, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Rath, 2b. 5 1 0 3 5 0
Lord, 3b. 4 0 2 0 1 0
Chase, 1b. 4 0 2 11 0 0
J. Collins, rf. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Schalk, c. 1 0 1 1 0 0
Kuhn, c. 3 1 0 2 1 0
Bodie, cf. 3 1 0 3 0 0
Pournier, lf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Weaver, ss. 4 1 3 3 2 0
O'Brien, p. 0 0 0 0 2 0
Benz, p. 2 0 0 0 3 0
*Easterly 1 0 0 0 0 0
Lange, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Russell, p. 1 0 1 0 0 0

Totals 35 5 9 27 14 0
*Batted for Benz in seventh.
Score by Innings:
Philadelphia 2 0 1 0 0 0 0—3
Chicago 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—5

Murphy.
Two base hit—Murphy. Three base hit—Weaver. Russell. Stolen bases—E. Collins (2). Bases on balls—Off O'Brien 1; off Benz 4; off Shawkey 1; off Lange 2; off Bender 1; off Russell 1. Struckout—By Shawkey 4; by Benz 2; by Bender 2. Umpires—Dineen and Egan.

BOSTON WINS FIRST GAME UNDER CARRIGAN'S MANAGEMENT

Collins Was Invincible Until the Seventh When Four Successive Singles and a Sacrifice Gave Tigers Two Runs

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—Playing their first game under the management of "Bill" Carrigan the Boston Red Sox to day won from Detroit 7 to 4. Collins was invincible until the seventh inning when four successive singles and a sacrifice fly gave the locals two runs. The locals scored two more in the last session.

Boston, A. B. R. H. P. A. E.	
Engle, 1b. 5	1 1 9 0 0
Hooper, rf. 5	1 2 5 0 0
Speaker, cf. 5	2 3 3 0 0
Lewis, lf. 5	1 2 4 0 0
Gardner, 3b. 4	0 1 0 1 0
Yerkes, 2b. 3	1 1 3 4 0
Wagner, ss. 3	0 1 3 5 0
Carrigan, c. 4	1 3 2 0 0
Collins, p. 2	0 0 0 1 0
Bedient, p. 0	0 0 0 0 0
*Hall 1	0 0 0 0 0

Totals 37 7 14 27 11 0
*Batted for Collins in 8th.
Bosh, ss. 5 0 1 5 6 1
Vitt, 2b. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Crawford, rf. 2 0 0 0 1 1
Veach, lf. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Gainer, 1b. 4 1 3 9 1 0
McKe, c. 3 1 1 3 1 0
High, c. 1 1 1 3 0
Moriarty, 3b. 4 1 3 0 0 0
Willett, p. 2 0 0 3 1 0
House, p. 0 0 0 0 1 0
*Baumann 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 36 4 13 27 16 2
*Batted for House in 9th.
Score by Innings:
Boston 1 0 1 1 0 0 4—7
Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—4

Summary.
Two base hits—Hooper, Yerkes, Lewis. Three base hits—Engle. Stolen bases—Speaker, Carrigan, Moriarty. Double play—Gardner to Engle; Yerkes to Engle; Wagner to Yerkes to Engle; Bush to Moriarty to Gainer to Bush. Bases on balls—Off Willett 2. Struckout—By Willett 5; by Collins 1. Umpires—Connelly and McGreevey.

Circus Solly, Arthur Hoffman, ex-Cub, ex-Pirate, now in the discard, wants \$2,000 of Charles Welch Murphy's "hard earned" mazzina. He has commenced legal proceedings with the Ohio pawnbroker succeeds in separating C. W. from any of his coin, he sure will be a come-back worth while. He alleges his agreement with the Cubs was terminated without notice—whatever that means in baseball law.

Arthur, "Lefty" Liefield, the veteran port-side pitcher secured by the Cubs in a trade with Pittsburgh, has been sidetracked by Prexy Murphy, who has released him to Atlanta of the Southern league. "Lefty" has been a grand old work horse in days gone by; but the going of late in the National has been difficult for the former star.

More than 100 entries have been slated for the western amateur golf championship play for which will start on Monday at Homewood Country club, near Chicago. It is expected the entries will reach an excess of 200 before the starting whistle toots "play."

George Stovall, in his efforts to keep out of that despised seventh hole, has banished the milk of human kindness from his little frame. The lowly Yanks yanked a game from him last Sunday and he wants Ban Johnson to reverse the ruling of Umpires Egan and Dineen on a play at second—a ruling, he claims, which virtually handed the game to New York.

Clyde C. Mitchell of LaCrosse, Wis., broke the Wisconsin target record on Monday, when he shattered 149 targets out of a possible 159. In performing his feat, Mitchell had a run of 129 straight.

On Monday young Jockey Steele was in the money with all of his six mounts at the Mineral Springs race track. He won four of the races, got place money in one and grabbed third in the other. And of these six mounts he had the leg up on but one favorite, Missie, in the last race. A \$10 parlay on Steele's mounts as they caught the judge's eye would have netted the player \$2,184.

Archer, Zimmerman and Bridwell, the Cub cripples, will have sufficiently recovered from their injuries to be in the line-up against the Braves at Boston this afternoon.

Comiskey has beaten all of the magnates of the two leagues to it and has landed Larry Chappelle, the hard hitting Brewer outfielder. The White Sox boss is mum on the price, but rumor has it that he gave up \$15,000 in cash, besides Johnny Beall, a fielder, and a catcher to be delivered next year. The young Franco-American slugger is happy over the deal, because, as he says, "Comiskey is a prince to his men." This new sensation is but 21 years of age, is from the prairies of McCloskey, Ill., near Chicago, and was developed by Hugh Duffy last year while he was managing the Milwaukee team.

Tex Russell is now the "Big Moose" of Chicago fandom. When he set the slugging Champions down with one lone hit for a shut-out on Monday, all recollections of Big Ed Walsh, the original "Moose," were wadded away upon the scented breezes from Baby Creek.

Mike Fisher, the Seattle magnate, not to be outdone by Comiskey and McGraw, is going to foster a "world's tour" of his own. He has completed arrangements for two coast teams to invade the south sea islands and for a three months stand in the principal cities of Australia.

Tom Lynch will make no change in his staff of umpires to satisfy protesting magnates. He will stand pat on the staff as it is now made up, because, to quote the president, "he has found the umpiring in the National league this year as good as at any time during the past four years."

Cleveland has obtained waivers and Catcher Grover Land has been released to Toledo of the American association. There are many less nifty backstops in the American league than Land, and someone was overlooking a good investment when Grover was allowed to drift to the minors.

Lena Blackburn is again back on the job at short for Mrs. Havenor's Brewers. The millionaire kid's shoes were too big for recruit Berg.

And just to demonstrate that he has not forgotten how, Le Tanneer bill, in a game a few days ago, burlapized two bases, and in one of his burlesques he actually effected a hook slide into second—the "sassy," sly old man, how they miss him at Kansas City these days.

Some wag has worked a tenderfoot Associated Press correspondent with a story that Fielder Jones has refused an offer of \$25,000 to succeed Garland Stahl as manager of the Champions. Fielder Jones is on Comiskey's reserve list, and McGraw, Boston's president, is aware of that fact, so that before negotiations could be had for 25 cents or for \$25,000 the Old Roman would have to be separated from the parchment he holds for Fielder's services.

PHILLIES WIN HARD CONTEST

Score Winning Run When Cravath Drops Ball Over Centerfield for a Homer.

Philadelphia, July 16.—Philadelphia made a clean sweep of the series of four games with St. Louis today, the score being 4 to 3. The winning run was secured when Cravath dropped the ball over the right centerfield for a home run. The score:

St. Louis 0 0 0 0 1 0—3 5 1
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 1 3—4 10 2
Batteries—Griner and Wingo; Brennan, Mayer, Rixey and Killifer, Howley.

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WOODSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cade spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles West near Jacksonville.

Miss Mollie Henry visited with relatives in St. Louis the latter part of last week.

Miss Margaret Strandberg of Jacksonville spent Sunday with Miss Ione Gallagher.

The Junior Band of the Christian church will serve burgo soup and ice cream on the church lawn Saturday afternoon and evening.

Amos McCurley spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Misses Stella and Mabelle McCurley entertained at dinner Sunday the Misses Leta and Pearl Megginson, Mae Harney, Agnes Taylor of Asbury, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley of Murrayville.

Mrs. Joseph Bonstell and daughters, Pauline, Esther and Josephine, of Ft. Scott, Kan., are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. William White.

Little Miss Helen Crain of Roodhouse is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Mildred Wright of Murrayville spent Sunday with Miss Lena Megginson.

Bert Fitzsimmons and Clyde Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith near Lynville.

Mrs. Robert Alexander and children spent a few days last week in Bluffs visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Whitlock visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ruyle, near Ceres Sunday.

The first service of the union meeting was held on the school lawn Sunday evening, with a good attendance. The ground is well lighted with acetylene gas, a platform has been made for the choir, with William Colton as leader and Messrs. George Cunningham and Leslie Rawlings are assisting the music with cornets. Rev. J. C. Smith, pastor of the Christian church, delivered a fine sermon. Next Sunday evening, Rev. J. Coleman, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will speak. Everybody welcome.

Miss Luceba E. Miner, field secretary of Eureka college, gave a fine talk at the Christian church Sunday morning. She is working in the interest of the college.

Miss Luceba Miner spoke to a well filled house last Sunday. She was here in the interest of Eureka college.

One hundred and fourteen in the Bible school did very well last Sunday and we would like 125 next Sunday, so be sure to come back and bring others.

The Ladies' Aid will have a lawn social and business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dallis Crain Thursday afternoon and evening.

The Loyal Sons and Loyal Daughters will have a class meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Leta Megginson. The young people of the church and school are invited to come and have a good time.

The Mission band will have a social on the church lawn Saturday night. Ice cream and cake and burgo soup.

The union open air services on the school grounds were well attended Sunday night. Be sure and come next Sunday night.

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CHICAGO & ALTON WEEK END EXCURSIONS.

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Mrs. Martha Ann Smith of Greenville was in Jacksonville Wednesday visiting friends.

GRAND RAPIDS WINS LION'S SHARE AT PEORIA REGATTA

Schoops Was Individual Star Winning the Single Scull Event and Quarter Mile Single Dash.

Peoria, Ill., July 16.—The Grand Rapids Boat and Canoe Club won the lion's share of the honors at the annual day of the central states amateur rowing association here to day taking three of the seven events, all junior class. Schoops of that club was the individual star winning the single scull event and the quarter mile single dash.

Summaries.

Six oared barges, three quarter mile dash—St. Louis Rowing Club, first; Grand City Rowing Club, St. Louis, second.

Single scull ebbels, three quarters mile and turn—Schoops, Grand Rapids B. and C. Club won. Time 11:51 1-5.

Paired oared sculls shells, three quarters miles and turn—Hogler Bartsch, Western R. C. St. Louis, won. Time 11:34 2-5.

Single scull shells, one quarter mile dash. Schoops, Grand Rapids B. and C. Club won. Time—1:41.

Four oared scull shells, three quarters mile and turn—Central R. C. No. 1, St. Louis, won. Time 9:57.

Double scull shells, three quarters mile and turn—Grand Rapids B. and C. Club, Grand Rapids, won. Time 1:19 1-2.

Eight oared shells, one and quarter miles straightway—Lewis R. C. St. Louis, won. Central R. C., St. Louis, second. Time 7:09 1-5.

MILWAUKEE AND COLUMBUS PLAY NINETEEN INNING GAME

Longest Game Staged This Season in the Larger Leagues Was Won By Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 16.—The longest game staged thus far this season in the larger baseball leagues was played today by the Milwaukee and the Columbus teams of the American Association who struggled 19 innings. Milwaukee won 6 to 5, using four pitchers. It was the longest game ever played in the association and was full of thrills throughout the three hours and forty-five minutes it lasted. Jack Perry pitched the whole game for Columbus and although Milwaukee made 12 hits off him he passed only three men. He struckout only two batters, but he kept the game under control in tight places. Milwaukee made five of its runs in the first nine innings tying the score with two runs in the ninth. Then another complete set of nine innings was played without a run. Milwaukee winning in the last half of the 19th with three singles in a row.

WASHINGTON WINS IN NINTH

Every Inning Was a Blank For St. Louis. Until the Seventh When Two Runs Were Marked Up.

St. Louis, July 16.—Every inning was blank for St. Louis until the seventh when two runs were marked up. Washington with but one run up to the ninth sent two men over winning 3 to 2. Score: Score: R. H. E. Washington 000 001 002—3 9 0 St. Louis 000 000 200—2 5 3 Batteries—Boehling, Gallia, Hughes, Johnson and Henry; Leverenz and Agnew.

NIPS SPLIT TWO WITH NEW YORK

After Being Shutout in the First Game Highlanders Win Second By Score of 4 to 2.

Cleveland, July 16.—After being shutout in the first game when Cleveland rolled up five runs, New York came up in the second and won by a score of 4 to 2. Score: Score: R. H. E. Cleveland 000 001 111—5 11 0 New York 000 000 000—0 9 3 Batteries—Mitchell and O'Neill; McConnell and Smith.

PIRATES TROUNCE BOSTON

Home Run by Wilson With a Man On Base Gives Pittsburgh Victory.

Boston, July 16.—Camnitz was outpitched today, but a home run by Wilson with a man on base in the second inning gave the visitors the victory, 3 to 1. The score: Score: R. H. E. Pittsburgh 020 000 001—3 4 2 Boston 000 001 000—1 6 2 Batteries—Camnitz and Simon; Hess and Rariden.

GEORGIA VETERANS IN REUNION

Brunswick, Ga., July 16.—Plans for an organized movement to urge the admittance of confederate veterans to federal soldiers' homes and the payment of pensions from the federal instead of the state treasuries to the dwindling number of those who fought for the "lost cause," were discussed here today at the annual reunion of the Georgia division of the United Confederate Veterans. The evening session this morning was devoted to the exchange of greetings. This afternoon the veterans listened to an address by Governor Slaton. He reunion will conclude tomorrow.

TO AMEND CONSTITUTION.

Raleigh, N. C., July 16.—The commission appointed to draft a set of proposed amendments to the constitution of North Carolina met here today to consider the measures proposed. Among the most important measures receiving attention are those providing for the initiative and referendum, a compulsory school term of six months, a new system of taxation, prohibiting the formation of corporations by special act and allowing Bible reading in the public schools.

WALTER COCHATI WINS IRON CITY STAKE AT PITTSBURGH

Grand Circuit Meet Is Opened After Two Day Delay by Rains and Heavy Track.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 16.—After being delayed two days of rains and heavy track, the grand circuit at the Bronte Island track started to day under ideal weather conditions. There were no sensational performances.

Summaries.

2:12 trot, 3 in 5. Purse, \$1,000. Peter McCormick (Shuler) 1 2 1 1 O'Neill 5 1 4 2 Castledon 2 3 3 4 Best time—2:08 3-4.

2:24 trot, Purse \$1,000. Uncle Elfin, (Andrews) 1 1 1 1 Cresote 2 3 2 2 Binghamton 4 2 3 3 Best time—2:10 1-2.

2:05 pace, Iron City Stake. Purse \$3,000. Walter Cochato (Logg) 1 1 1 1 Longworth 2 3 3 3 Knight Onward 4 2 2 2 Best time—2:04.

2:12 pace, Purse \$1,000. Ellsworth R., (Pittman) 5 1 1 1 Herman Wenger 2 2 2 2 Woodcliffe King 4 4 3 3 Best time—2:08 1-2.

2:09 pace, Purse \$1,000. Arlene, (Gossnell) 1 1 1 1 Colonel Franklin 5 2 3 3 View Eder 6 4 2 2 Best time—2:08 1-2.

TELE OF STATE JOBS.

Illinois Civil Service Commission Has Issued Interesting Pamphlet.

"Why not work for the state?" This is the alluring and striking title of a little pamphlet which the state civil service commission has just put out in an effort to induce young men and women to enter the service of the state charitable and penal institutions.

The title would indicate that there are jobs waiting for applicants. This is true in many departments. The pamphlet tells what these positions are, where they are, what their advantages are, what they pay and how they may be secured.

The pages are illuminated by half tone views of state institutions and especially of the homes which have been erected or are being by the state for the accommodation of its employees. In these homes each employee has his or her room. There are parlors for each sex, club rooms, the most modern plumbing, heating and lighting, and, in fact every comfort of a good home. The few pages seek to impress upon their readers, that service in these institutions is very desirable. Special attention is paid to the educational advantages which the state affords, free of cost, in vacations that are highly profitable.

A copy of the pamphlet may be secured by addressing the state civil service commission at Springfield.

EXETER.

Harold Redshaw was a Bluffs visitor Sunday.

West Salons called at the home of Albert Morris Sunday.

Edward Funk was a Jacksonville visitor this week.

Miss Cary Skinner is visiting at the home of John Allen.

Fritz Haskell was a town caller this week.

Martin Emmins was a town caller this week.

J. Christison was a visitor in town this week.

G. M. Ratigan delivered hogs and cattle to H. Oakes this week.

L. Williams started threshing this week. Wheat is making a good yield.

H. Mathews is going to start two threshing machines this week. He expects to make things hum.

Mrs. Ed Six is visiting friends in town this week.

Virgie and Maggie Buchanan visited friends in town this week.

Mrs. Fred Korty was a recent visitor at the home of Harmon Guluthers.

A BOY'S TROUBLES.

By Winston Wharton.

Just going back along the years To when I was a boy, I think of useless youthful tears— But mostly youthful joy.

When life was free of doubts and fears, I always laughed at care, Till mother got me by the ears And tried to comb my hair.

With song and shout I ran to school And studied hard at night; I saw the wood and fed the mule, I wanted to do right; I lived close to the golden rule— Tom Brown could not compare— But say I acted like a fool

When mother combed my hair, I used to cut the grass and weeds And sweep the porch and walk; I read the prayer books and the creeds, I sure did walk the chalk, My high heels full of worthy deeds And reverential prayer— And prayer is what a fellow needs, When mother combs his hair.

But now, at thought, I stand appalled And drop the useless comb; The ancient scene is now recalled Within my own sweet home, Not me—for I'm completely bald— My boy is on a tare; The poor kid howls like he was maled

His mother combs his hair. Mrs. Newton Kennedy and sons, Gordon and Lucian, of Muskogee, Okla., have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brockman of this city.

Mrs. Silas Wright and daughter Miss Jane of Murrayville were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

RESIGNATION OF JUSTICE HAND MEANS SPECIAL ELECTION

Governor Dunne Expresses Regret in Accepting Resignation—Cases Likely to Be Given to Hand's Successor.

The fact was announced in the telegraphic despatches of Wednesday that Justice John P. Hand of the Illinois Supreme Court had sent his resignation to Governor Dunne because of ill health. Justice Hand was elected from the fifth district and another election will be held as soon as possible. The letters between the retiring jurist and the governor are of interest and are quoted here:

Letter of Resignation.

Justice Hand's letter of resignation mailed from his home at Cambridge said:

"As you are aware, I have been incapacitated by reason of illness from performing my duties as supreme judge for some months. The improvement I have made since the first of the year justified me in hoping, I would be able to resume my duties not later than October term. While I am very much better, I am now convinced it would not be wise for me to commence work at so early a date and I feel that in justice to my associates and the people that the work of the supreme court should proceed with a full bench at the October term."

"I have therefore reached the conclusion, after mature consideration, to resign as judge of the supreme court for the Fifth district and I hereby tender my resignation to take effect July 15, 1913."

Governor Expresses His Regret.

Accepting the resignation, Governor Dunne sent Justice Hand the following letter:

"I received by mail today, with much regret, your letter of resignation as justice of the supreme court dated July 14, 1913.

"It is a matter deeply to be regretted that the condition of your health has forced you to take this step. In common with thousands of other citizens, I have hoped for your immediate restoration to health so as to enable you to resume your valuable services upon the bench.

"Under the circumstances I presume there is nothing for me to do but accept your resignation.

"Congratulations you upon the splendid record you have made upon the bench and hoping for your early recovery, I am very truly yours, (Signed) "E. F. Dunne."

Justice Hand was serving his second term of nine years upon the supreme bench. He was a Republican, and was first elected June 4, 1900, succeeding Justice Alfred M. Craig. He was re-elected, June 7, 1909.

Cases May Go to Successor.

Following the usual order in such a situation, the cases pending in the supreme court, which have been assigned to Justice Hand, will go over to his successor unless other sitting members of the bench voluntarily prepare opinions in them. Whenever a justice vacates office, either through the election of a successor, resignation or death, it is customary for the court to turn over his allotment of cases to his successor.

Since Justice Hand's collapse last December the court has regularly allotted him the same number of cases as other members of the bench. In a few of these, other members of the court have voluntarily written opinions which have been adopted by the majority. In most of them, however no opinions have been prepared.

In addition to the cases assigned to Justice Hand and his successor, there are a number of cases on the advisement docket, including three rehearing petitions which, presumably are still pending because of inability of the court to adopt a majority opinion. It is understood that the other justices are aligned three to three on these cases and the action of the seventh justice is necessary to dispose of them.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Josephine E. Pyatt, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Josephine E. Pyatt, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of July, A. D. 1913.

Benj. C. Pyatt, Administrator.

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It is too great a risk to depend upon neighbors or sending for medicine in case of a sudden attack of bowel complaint. In almost every neighborhood someone has died from cholera morbus that could have easily been saved had the proper medicine been at hand. Then think of the suffering that must be endured until medicine can be obtained. The safe way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy. It has never been known to fail, and has undoubtedly saved the lives of many people. Buy it now. It only costs a quarter. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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ECHOES FROM ALEXANDER

Alexander Happenings Always Interest Our Readers.

After reading of so many people in our town who have been cured by Doan's Kidney Pills, the question naturally arises: "Is this medicine equally successful in our neighboring towns?" The generous statement of this Alexander resident leaves no room for doubt on this point.

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The above is not an isolated case. M. Aulbaugh is only one of many in this vicinity who have gratefully endorsed Doan's. If your back aches, if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Aulbaugh had, 50c at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

(Adv.)

NICHOLS PARTY SAYS
GOOD BYE TO TSINING

Chinese Churches Show Result of Efforts of Missionaries—Sacred Mountain Taishan Visited by Tourists.

Tsining, China, June 2nd.
Dear Journal:
(By S. W. Nichols).

A few last words before leaving this pleasant place, while I am waiting for breakfast.

Sunday was truly well spent and was a day which made a deep impression on us. In the morning Mr. Ewert delivered a fine discourse, which was interpreted by Mr. Thompson, the pastor, already mentioned, and all were well pleased.

The church is a brick building, substantial but not especially ornamental. It is supplied with straight seats, not exactly conducive to comfort, but the best that can be afforded, and neat and well made. The pulpit platform is perhaps two feet high and reaches nearly across one end of the room. At one side of the desk is the cabinet organ, a very good instrument of its kind, and between that and the speaker the choir sit. Over the platform, on a black board, in large wooden gilt covered Chinese characters are the words: "Let there be mercy and light everywhere."

The congregation shows some of the traits of Chinese character, which must gradually disappear, though a great advance on heathen customs has been made. There are women, but they must take back seats and rigidly to themselves, and even foreign ladies are obliged to conform to that custom and sit with or by the native sisters, for nothing else would be regarded as suitable. Well to do Chinese women are scarcely ever seen on the street. When they do go out it is generally in a covered sedan chair, of which there are few, enough for the limited demand. Such a thing as a man walking with his wife on the street is unheard of and would not be regarded in good form. Even the good Christian Chinese men and women who to church separately, but on the other hand the women in the Christian churches are getting more and more of their rights, as they are called on to speak and pray, which is a wonderful advance.

Not long ago when two officials were present the pastor called on two women to take part, pray, I think, and they did it and did it well, showing what the true religion is doing for the women of the land.

In the afternoon there was a communion service, preceded by the rite of baptism, and it was beautiful. There were about half a dozen little ones and both parents appeared and took part in the ceremony. It is the custom here to baptize a child if one of the parents is a Christian and asks it, but I think in this case both were Christians and no little one had to appear without father and mother.

Though I was unable, of course, to understand into the spirit of the occasion and realize the blessedness of the ceremony. The communion too was a solemn and memorable time and unique in many ways. They used little native cups, individual, and passed them on trays. I had several times met the good old deacons who officiated in passing the elements and it was good to look into their faces as they passed about attending to their duty. It was a service which I shall never forget.

In the evening there was a program still different from the ones which I had enjoyed during the day. It was a time for reports from evangelists or lay preachers and Bible workers among the people. One after another rose and told of the condition of affairs in his district, the reports being from the outlying stations as well as the various other phases of the work. Dr. Lyon sat beside me and told me much that was being said and it was truly pleasant to hear what the different brothers had to offer.

One said in his district, a good distance from the city, there were two hundred persons studying the Bible and catechism and there was a good feeling.

Another told of the difficulties which beset the work in his district and the persecutions they had to endure, but he said they were doing the best they could and meant to keep on trying, hoping and praying.

One brother said his place was near the quarters of a part of the army and they were making but little progress. Things in this vicinity are in bad shape in that respect. There were here a general with several thousand soldiers and he is not loyal to the government. He was the last of the old regime to surrender to the new government and he did it with a bad grace and now he is practically a law to himself and the government is hardly strong enough or at least fails to deal with him as it should. He takes possession of the railroad, steals engines and holds them and trains in readiness to transport his troops and makes trouble generally and there seems to be no one able to call him to account and he is a terror and evil to the land and the people in the vicinity of his army are in constant fear as stated.

One brother stated in his field there were perhaps fifty people studying the word, while one sister rose and told modestly what was being done in her field. It was indeed a delightful service. As I was leaving the church a good old deacon whom I had met came up to me and touching his lips with a negative nod placed his hand on my heart and his as if to say that while we could not converse our hearts were one for the dear Master.

We said goodbye to our good friends with sincere regret, for they had exerted themselves to the utmost to entertain us and make things pleasant for us and we shall always recall our visit there with genuine pleasure. Our next stopping place was one of much interest as was the last. It was

Tsain fu. There we again fell into the hands of good missionary friends, who en-

tertained us rich royally. This was a Methodist station and well manned though the work was not large. The force consisted of Rev. G. E. Davis, district superintendent; Dr. J. H. Kerns, physician in charge of hospital; Rev. R. L. Hanson, in charge of school for boys; Miss Effie G. Young in charge of school for girls; Miss Elsie Knapp, and Dr. E. G. Terry, lady, in charge of training school. These people have a district with five million souls and do all the evangelistic work possible with their limited force. There are 400 boys and 150 girls being educated. There are in the place a small work of the Anglican church and one of the Southern Baptist of our country.

On the way we saw many fields of wheat, for we left rice fields many miles behind and I was sorry to see how dry weather had reduced the crops to a small amount. The people harvest their wheat by pulling it up roots and all and cut off the roots for fuel, feed the straw to their stock, what little they have to feed, thresh the grain and use the chaff to the best advantage. The threshing is a primitive job indeed. A smooth place is made in the ground, packed hard and the grain spread over it. Oxen or mules are driven over it, dragging a cylindrical stone and tramping at the same time, and when the grain is well out of the straw, pitched off with wooden forks and when there is a wind wooden shovels are used to toss the grain and chaff in the air so the chaff will be blown away. When there is not enough wind, the fan is used, as we read in the Bible, "Whose fan is in his hand he will thoroughly purge his floor and gather into the garner, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

The land seemed generally rather poor and the crops painfully light, and yet it is a closely populated district and how the poor people are to live this year is a serious question. During the many hundreds of miles we have traveled we have seen hardly anything but mud homes and the most primitive surroundings. It is hard for us living in our comfortable homes to realize what poor accommodations afford shelter to so many of our fellow beings.

Tsain fu has a population of some thirty thousand and generally the streets are rather wider and not quite as uncanny as many of those in other places we have visited. Well to do people of the city is the scorpion and they have a good many of these repulsive creatures, whose tails contain a sting which causes intense pain to the unfortunate victim. The merchants have a queer way of decorating the fronts of each other's places of business. On the front of one store, if such may be called, will be a motto, "May peace and prosperity be the lot of the man opposite," and one will conclude they are a generous set till he finds that a man goes across and so decorates the front of his neighbor's store, after all wishing himself the good fortune.

The prime attraction of this place is the Sacred Mountain Taishan, which is one of the most noted places in all China and one of five sacred mountains and the most important of the five. The ascent of this eminence was the program of a very enjoyable day. It was done in chairs, though any one might walk if he or she chose. These chairs were different from any we have yet seen. They are supported by two side poles in the shape of an arc of circle and about seven feet long. The chair occupied by the passenger is a simple affair made of ropes supplied with a back and arms of sticks and a small stick tied in place with strings for a footrest. It is light and the whole rather more comfortable than the ones we had been using elsewhere. Each was supplied with four men, two working at a time and two for relief. A part of the time the men would swing around and bear the burden on one shoulder and then on the other, the chairs being suspended with bread straps.

Mr. James went along with us and several friends from the station, so that we made an imposing cavalcade. We first passed through an important gateway called the gate of heaven, passing a large house and other buildings devoted to the memory of a mythical old lady who is supposed to come down every morning and comb her hair. Her image is carefully clothed in summer with light garments and in the winter with warmer ones and the changing is an important ceremony. In a temple building a little farther along is the mummy of a devotee who is said to have sat in place of contemplation till he died, when the body shrank up and is now carefully preserved in a glass case and shown to visitors as a very important object. The worship of this vicinity is the Taoist, which differs in some respect from the Buddhist and others.

The work which has been done on this mountain is simply colossal when we take into account the primitive manner of doing things in this land. The mountain rises abruptly from the plain and is a rugged eminence with some verdure and trees and hosts of rocks, great pieces, gulches, beds of streams, and grandeur generally. It is regarded as especially holy and all along the way up are shrines, temples, caves of hermits and homes of natives, who make a living supplying the needs of the vast hordes of pilgrims who visit the place annually.

The road to the top is estimated at twelve to fifteen miles in extent and the whole distance is paved ten to twelve feet wide, with hewn stone and by actual count there are 6,125 stone stairs, in places from three to a hundred at a time, leading to the ascent to be made and though trodden for so many centuries the stones are not worn away perceptibly. Pilgrims were climbing these stairs when Moses was tending the flocks of Jethro and when the children of Israel were toiling in Egypt, workmen were repairing the causeway up this mountain. It is almost impossible to conceive such great age in our land where old settlers can yet recall the days when our beauti-

ful city was a little village.

In the early days the people worshipped the god of heaven and the emperor was called the son of the most high and it would seem that they had a vague idea of conception of the true deity. A visit to this mountain and a worship in its various temples are regarded as something especially meritorious and for that purpose the people from a large surrounding territory save money for years to enable them to make the trip and sometimes enough is not saved till the second and even the third generation, when the pilgrimage is made. Many poor women with their diminutive feet have to ascend the stairway on their knees, bowing and worshipping as they go.

One rocky cliff has been smoothed for a space of perhaps fifteen by twenty feet and on the surface good maxims and words suitable to the location have been carved and every little while the face of a rock will be adorned with characters and these are kept legible by paint applied when the letters grow dim with age, as they are half an inch deep. Often scattered through the cleft of the rocks are caves and recesses which have been occupied by pious hermits who sat for weeks and months thinking they were doing something acceptable to the gods they revered. The causeway is generally flanked by balustrade of some kind when it passes near a cliff and the whole is kept in fairly good shape by the offerings of pious pilgrims who flock to the holy place. Well toward the top, at the end of a long, steep stairway, is a gateway called the gate of heaven and leading to a way still higher up and about it was a cluster of mud and stone house, poor but inhabit-

ed by people who looked at us curiously and hoping for money.

On we went up and still up over stone causeways and climbing steps, every little while hoping we were at the top, but at last it appeared in the distance and in due time we were there. For the sake of exercise and to relieve the coolies I did quite a bit of walking and it did me good, for exercise is well for almost any one. Several temples are located on and near the summit, but anything like a detailed description is impracticable. In one temple the image or idol is surrounded with a high paling fence and through this the worshippers have tossed coins, food and all sorts of offerings. The food will spoil, but once or twice a year the priests open the fence and remove the articles.

In a court are two bronze tablets about twelve feet high, a foot thick and thirty inches wide and originally covered with inscriptions, but the lower parts are worn away the thickness of an inch, making me think of the stone of the holy sepulcher in Jerusalem, where the pilgrims from Russia have kissed the surface till they have worn deep indentations in it. In front of this court is an obelisk of granite fifteen feet high and about four feet square at the base. Just how this was ever transported up this mountain from the distant quarry is an unsolved question.

Near by is another temple devoted to babyhood and containing a lot of porcelain figures of little folks and said to be visited by ladies anxious for sons. There are several buildings covered with iron tiles, peculiar to this place and five hundred years old and in perfect preservation yet, while a building next has recently been covered with bright yellow tiles, making a decided contrast. In a room

adjacent to one of these temples and unoccupied we found a nice place to eat our lunch and after the long climb the delicious viands supplied by our good friends below were decidedly acceptable.

There is on one side of the top a steep precipice and so many people have committed suicide there that the government has erected a high stone wall, preventing persons from reaching it. The circumstances attending the suicides were peculiar. Sometimes the unfortunate person would be tired of life and more frequently it would be vicarious, the pilgrim having a friend of relative ill and hoping by self destruction to gain relief for the invalid. It is a fearful chasm and death must have been instantaneous in all cases.

The view from the summit was fine though it did not disclose anything especially interesting, as the country about is poor. All over the distant plain were what seemed to be simply small clumps of trees, but in fact were the locations of towns and villages, some of them probably containing two thousand inhabitants, all crowded together in mud huts covering a space not very great. There were several pinnacles on the mountain and we climbed a part of them and spent a very enjoyable time up there. I would like to give a detailed description of the temples and the other structures up there and on the way, but space would not be wisely used.

The descent was naturally easier and more rapid than the going up. The children thought they would walk most of the way, not taking into account the effect on their knees and next day they were so sore and stiff they could only get about with difficulty.

In the city is a large temple with an area about it and there the faithful pitch their tents when they have any and many abide there a few days or more while on their pilgrimages. They go in groups from villages and the leader will often walk in front bearing a banner which contains perhaps the names of the company and other things pertaining to the people with him.

Our next experience of interest was

A Visit to Hell.
and don't think I am using any cuss words or talking at random, for such is not the case. One of the sights of Tsain fu is this temple of hell, and indeed it is hideous enough. We entered through a gateway on each side of which in recesses were huge and ugly images grinning at us as if to mock our serenity as we advanced. Each carried a club adorned with spikes as if to be ready to administer condign punishment to any evil doer. On the other side of the gate were four images of the same kind and if one were given to nightmare he would indeed have something to remember from the experiences of the day.

(To Be Continued)

C. H. Mathias of Peoria, a representative of Drobisch & Co., was calling on local business men yesterday.

Robert Strong has returned to Chicago after a visit at the home of Mrs. N. B. Westover, 839 West College avenue.

Mrs. T. J. Mandeville and daughter Miss Emma and Miss May Coyne were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

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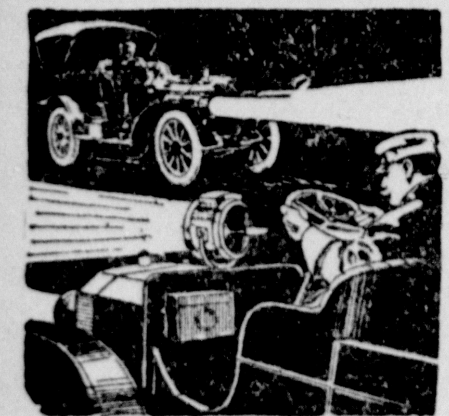
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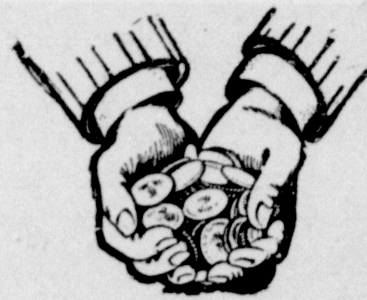


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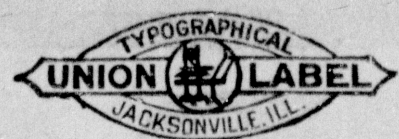
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CONCORD.

The M. P. church here will hold their annual fish and chicken fry August 14th, when they will satiate the appetites of all who patronize them with the most delectable viands imaginable. A cordial welcome and general good time assured every one who comes.

Miss Olive Dunlap, field missionary of the M. E. church, made a pleasant call on former friends in Concord last week. We are gratified to be accorded such a pleasant time by so versatile a lady as Miss Olive.

Mrs. Robert Henley and son Claud came Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Alice Hamm.

Ralph and Owen Hamilton of Winchester visited over Sunday in Concord.

Miss Bebe Edmundson of Rushville is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ator.

Class No. 4, M. E. church held a very successful ice cream and cake social on the church lawn Saturday evening.

Miss Blanche White of Oklahoma City and the little Misses Cratz of Decatur are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cratz.

W. B. Fennessey of Litchfield was in Concord for a short time visiting his friend G. E. Caldwell.

Mr. Geo. Rentscher was presented with the 50 year emblem of the Concord exercises attending the presentation being made by Mr. Walter Wright, principal of Concord school.

Miss Jane Ator entertained the ladies aid of the M. P. church Thursday and every one reported a splendid time, of course the excellent refreshments were duly appreciated.

W. C. Brockhouse and Wm. Detorling went to Chicago with several car loads of fine cattle, their town fattening.

Edgar Allen Well of St. Louis was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

THE WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

TRADING IN STOCKS SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

SPECULATION SHOWS GENUINE ANIMATION AT TIMES.

Day's Business Was More Than Four Times That Done Last Friday—Prices in All Departments Lifted.

(By Associated Press)
New York, July 16.—The appearance of the stock market was transferred today by an accession of strength which lifted prices in all departments. The market awoke at last from its torpor and while trading was not heavy measured by normal standards, speculation showed genuine animation at times. The day's business was more than four times the amount done last Friday when the ebbing tide of speculation reached the low water mark. Higher prices in London stimulated the market at the opening and the advance continued to the close without serious interruption. At times traders who thought the pace too fast in view of the recent pronounced dullness sold stocks and checked the rise due to offerings, were absorbed easily and the upward movement was resumed. Profit-taking caused some recession in the late trading but the list was not far from the level of the day at the close. There was a long list of gains running from 6 to 10 points.

The improvement was regarded as a reflection of the better feeling which prevailed in all the principal markets of the world.

Amal. Copper 66 1/2
Amer. Beet Sugar 22 1/2
Amer. Cotton Oil 36 1/2
Amer. Smelting 61 1/2
Amer. Sugar 12 1/2
Anaconda Mining Co. 33 1/2
Atchafalpa 96 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line 116
Baltimore & Ohio 94 1/2
Brooklyn R. T. 88
Canadian Pacific 217
Chesapeake & Ohio 54
Chicago & Northwestern 128
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. 104
Colorado Fuel and Iron 28 1/2
Colorado & Southern 31
Delaware & Hudson 152
Denver & Rio Grande 26
Erie 139 1/2
General Electric 124
Great Northern Ore Cfs. 32 1/2
Illinois Central 113 1/2
Interborough-Met. 15 1/2
Interborough-Met. pfd. 56 1/2
Inter Harvester 102 1/2
Louisville & Nashville 134
Mo. Pacific 31
Mo., K. & T. 214
N. Y. Central 98
N. Y. Central pfd. 104
Norfolk & Western 107 1/2
Northern Pacific 111 1/2
Pennsylvania 111 1/2
People's Gas 152 1/2
Pullman Palace Car 152 1/2
Reading 159 1/2
Rock Island Co. 164
Rock Island Co. pfd. 25 1/2
Southern Pacific 92
Southern Railway 22
Union Pacific 147 1/2
U. S. Steel 105 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd. 105 1/2
Wabash 29
Western Union 61 1/2

New York Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2 registered 98
U. S. ref. 2 coupon 98
U. S. 3s, registered 102
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Panama 3s, coupon 101

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.

New York, July 16.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red, 94c; c. i. f., New York export basis, July shipment, and 95 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 94c; No. 1 northern Duluth, 94c; c. i. f., New York.

Futures were firmer on the wet weather in the Europe low temperatures and backward growth in Canada and on export sales of 100 loads yesterday and today, closing 12 1/2c net higher. July, 96 1/2c; September, 94 1/2c; December, 97 1/2c.

Corn—Spot firm; export, 68 1/2c nominal; c. i. f., 68 1/2c.

Oats—Spot steady.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, July 16.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 15,756 tubs. Creamery extras, 23 1/2c; 27c.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged. Receipts, 188 boxes.

Eggs—Irrregular and unchanged. Receipts, 18,359 cases.

Raw sugar—Steady. Muscovado, 3.04@3.07; centrifugal, 3.54@3.57; molasses, 2.79@2.82; refined steady.

Coffee—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 9c; Santos No. 4, 11 1/2c; mild dull; Cordova, 13@16c.

NEW YORK MEAT MARKET.

New York, July 16.—Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent.

Sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85 for 60 days bills and at 4.85 for demand.

Commercial bills, 4.85.

Bar silver, 58 1/2c.

Money on call steady, 2 1/2% per cent; last loan, 2 1/2%; closing bid, 2 1/2%.

Time loans strong; 60 days, 3 1/2%; 90 days, 4 1/2%; six months, 5 1/2%.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET.

St. Louis, July 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; market steady. Choice to firm steers, \$8.00@8.75; good to choice steers, \$8.00@8.25; dressed and butcher steers, \$7.25@8.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.25@7.50; cows and heifers, \$7.50@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,300; market 10c higher. Pigs and light, \$7.25@9.35; mixed and butcher steers, \$9.00@9.35; good heavy, \$9.20@9.30.

EXPORT BUSINESS RUSH UP PRICES IN WHEAT

ADVANCE PRICES STIMULATE RURAL SALES.

Weather of the Kind to Produce Rust Was Said to Prevail in Dakotas and Minnesota—Corn Ascends.

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, July 16.—Improved export business ran up prices today in wheat. The market closed steady at an advance of 1/2c to 1 1/2c net. All other leading staples, too, showed a gain, corn 1/2c, oats 1/2c, and provisions a shade to 10c.

Weather of just the kind to produce rust was said to prevail in the Dakotas and Minnesota and was being carefully watched by wheat speculators here. Advanced prices, however, stimulated rural sales. The result was to put final quotations slightly below the top level of the day.

Corn ascended because of unbroken drought and heat west of the Missouri river. Beside cash offerings were notably small. Buying, though, received a check through disappointing predictions of rain. Disappointing thresher returns in Illinois had a strengthening influence on oats.

Higher prices for hogs served as the chief basis on which to hoist provisions. The market felt the effect also of the bulge in coarse grain.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Chicago, July 16.—Close—Hogs: Receipts, 21,000; market active, mostly 10c higher. Bulk of sales, \$8.95@9.20; light, \$8.95@9.40; mixed, \$8.80@9.35; heavy, \$8.55@9.20; rough, \$8.55@8.75; pigs, \$7.30@9.15.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,500; market steady to 10c lower. Calves, strong. Beesves, \$7.10@9.15; Texas steers, \$7.00@8.10; western steers, \$7.15@8.20; stockers and feeders, \$5.80@7.90; cows and heifers, \$3.80@8.50; calves, \$8.05@9.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,700; market 10c to 15c lower. Native, \$4.40@5.40; western, \$4.40@5.35; yearlings, \$5.75@7.25; lambs, native, \$6.75@8.70; western, \$6.75@8.50.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

Minneapolis, July 16.—Wheat—market opened firmer; shorts forced to cover and moderate advances resulted; trading light; further gains fell in northwest. July closed 1/2c higher than yesterday, September 1/2c higher and December 1/2c higher.

July opened 87 1/2c; high, 87 1/2c; low, 87 1/2c; closed, 87 1/2c.

September opened 89 1/2c@89 1/2c; high, 89 1/2c; low, 89 1/2c; closed, 89 1/2c.

December opened 92 1/2c; high, 92 1/2c; low, 92 1/2c; closed, 92 1/2c.

Closing cash: No. 1 hard, 91c; No. 1 northern, 89 1/2c@90 1/2c; to arrive, 89 1/2c@90c; choice to arrive, 90 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 87 1/2c@88 1/2c; No. 2 hard Montana, 88c; No. 3 wheat, 85 1/2c@86c.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.

Peoria, Ill., July 16.—Corn—Unchanged; No. 2 yellow, 62c; No. 3 yellow, 62c; No. 2 mixed, 62c; No. 3 mixed, 62c; sample, 59c.

Oats—Unchanged; standard 39 1/2c; No. 3 white, 38 1/2c; sample, 36 1/2c.

(By James E. Bennett & Co.)

Wheat—High Low Close

July 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2

September 89 1/2 89 1/2 89 1/2

December 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2

Corn—

July 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2

September 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2

December 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2

Oats—

July 38 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2

September 39 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2

December 40 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2

Pork—

July 22.00 21.80 21.90

September 21.07 21.87 21.90

Lard—

September 11.70 11.67 11.70

December 11.77 11.73 11.74

Ribs—

July 11.60 11.57 11.57

September 11.75 11.73 11.73

October 11.55 11.45 11.50

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 16.—Wheat—No. 2 red, new, 86@87c; No. 3 red, new, 85@86c; No. 4 red, new, 80@84c; No. 2 hard winter, new, 86 1/2@87c; No. 3 hard winter, new, 85 1/2@86c; No. 2 hard winter, old, 88 1/2@89c; No. 3 hard winter, old, 87 1/2@88c; No. 2 spring, 90@91c; No. 3 spring, 88@89c; No. 4 spring, 91@92c; No. 2 northern spring, 90@91c; No. 3 northern spring, 88@90c.

Corn—No. 2, 61 1/2@61 1/2; No. 3, 60 1/2@61c; No. 4, 59@60c; No. 2 white, 63@63 1/2; No. 3 white, 62 1/2; No. 4 white, 61c; No. 2 yellow, 61 1/2@62c; No. 3 yellow, 61@61 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 59 1/2@60c; S. G. M., 55@58c; S. G. Y., 55@58c.

Oats—No. 4, 34c; No. 3 white, 38 1/2@39c; No. 4 white, 37 1/2@38c; standard, 39 1/2@41c.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, July 16.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 84@88c; No. 3 red, 82 1/2@84c; No. 4 red, 79 1/2@82 1/2c; No. 2 hard winter, 85@85 1/2c; No. 3 hard winter, 83c.

Corn—No. 2, 62 1/2@63c; No. 3, 61 1/2@62c; No. 4 white, 65 1/2@66c; No. 3 white, 64@64 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 63@63 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 62c; No. 4 yellow, 60@60 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2, 39c; No. 3, 38c; No. 2 white, 40@41c; No. 4 white, 38 1/2@39c; standard, 41 1/2@43c.

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15.00 suits now selling at	9.75
12.50 suits now selling at	8.25
10.00 suits now selling at	7.00
7.50 suits now selling at	4.75

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\$12.00 and \$10 boys' suits	\$7.25
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3.00 boys' suits	1.95
2.00 boys' suits	1.63



Young Men's Fancy Norfolk Suits One-half Price

10 Per Cent Reduction on all Mohair and Blue Serge Suits

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1.00 washable suits	79c

Boys' Cassimere Knee Pants

50c pants now	39c
75c pants now	59c
\$1.00 pants now	79c
1.50 pants now	\$1.13
All wool serges	1.00

Child's Straw Hats One-half Price

Men's and Young Men's Cassimere and Worsteds Pants, sizes 28 to 54 waist

\$7.00 and \$6.00 pants	\$5.00
5.00 pants	3.85
4.00 and \$3.50 pants	2.65
3.00 pants	2.15
2.00 pants	1.45
1.50 pants	1.15

PROPOSED INCOME TAX WILL AFFECT BACHELORS

Unmarried Men With Income Above \$3,000 To Be Taxed—Deductions Because of Children Is Rule In Europe.

Springfield Republican: The amendment to the income tax section of the tariff bill adopted by the senate finance committee and the senate Democratic caucus are generally regarded as improving the income tax system as adopted by the house. That improvement could still be made doubtless goes without saying. Perhaps the most interesting of the changes was one granting exemptions in certain amounts on account of marriage and children. It is proposed now to tax bachelors on an income of \$3,000 or more, while married men will be exempt under \$4,000.

A married man, too, will get a deduction of \$500 for each minor child living with him and dependent upon him. Thus a married man will not be taxed on an income less than \$5,000 provided he supports a wife and at least two minor children. The same provisions will apply to a married woman who supports a husband and children. But where both parents are taxable because of having more than \$3,000 income each, the deductions on account of minor children are not to apply to either.

Deductions from an income tax on account of children are well established in British and European practice and their immediate introduction into the federal income tax system would doubtless be sanctioned by public opinion.

In France the law of 1899 entirely exempts parents of seven children when they are subject to a tax of not more than 10 francs and later laws make special abatements for large families in the case of taxpayers who pay very small house rents. In Prussia the law of 1891 fixed abatements of 50 marks for every child under 14 in all cases where the total taxable income did not exceed 3,000 marks. And the Prussian act of 1906 not only gave a

deduction of 50 marks for each child or other dependents, but provided that three children should entitle the taxpayer to a deduction of one grade and five children to a reduction of two grades—the grades representing different grades of taxation.

In Great Britain deductions because of children were allowed by the first income tax laws of 1798-1816 which were levied on account of the Napoleonic wars. After a time they were abolished because they led to such an astounding increase in large families, but the later legislation has restored them. The British budget of 1909 provided that where the total income is not over \$2,500 a deduction of \$50 for each child under 16 may be made.

Compared with the deductions in Great Britain and Germany, the proposed American deduction of \$500 for each child is large, much to large perhaps. To be taken into account, however, is the much greater cost of living and of rearing children in this country.

If there were to be a general reduction in the exemption level for all taxable persons, say to \$2,000, probably the special reduction for children would be reduced also. So far as the principle is concerned there is no lack of argument and of precedent in support of a discrimination against citizens who have no children to rear. The only debatable question is the amount of the deduction to be made in proportion to the taxable income.

The modern state is steadily increasing the economic burden of parenthood by its social legislation in times past a child became an economic asset to the family because of child labor. This was true especially of families in an agricultural state.

In colonial America and in the earlier years of the republic, there were large families on the farms if for no other reason than that labor was scarce and every boy was a valuable economic unit in subduing the wilderness and exploiting the virgin resources of the continent. The old Yankee habit of rearing many children declined as increased immigration and the rising standard of living

made it cheaper to hire the labor of the immigrant class. Today even the more recently arrived people from abroad are finding their large families unprofitable, because of modern laws restricting child labor and making school attendance compulsory are growing severer every year.

These laws are admirable in their humane spirit and their civilizing influence. Viewed broadly, with future generations properly regarded, they are sure to be profitable in the highest sense in the end. But from the viewpoint of the parent and of families, large or small, they add to the cost of and burden of parenthood. Under modern conditions the parent more and more raises children for the benefit of the state and society rather than for his own material advantage.

In making deductions for children in levying income taxes congress would merely be recognizing the facts. There is a convincing social reason, indeed, why these deductions should be made. For the deductions on account of parenthood must tend to discourage the deliberate avoidance of parenthood's burdens. The discrimination, too, in favor of marriage against bachelorhood is to be commended on much the same ground.

Men who do not marry may legitimately be taxed more than men who do marry, because bachelors viewed as a class—and one has in mind the single men above the age of 30 who comprise one-seventh of the men of those ages in the country as a whole—because bachelors are antisocial shirks, in a society whose form and content are based upon the family relations growing out of wedlock.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a Pennsylvania farmer, residing near Fleming, P. O. Pa., says: "For the past fourteen years I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in my family and have found it to be an excellent remedy. I always have a bottle of it in my house and take pleasure in recommending it to my friends." For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

IS KNOWN AS KING AMONG CONFIDENCE MEN.

J. H. Strosnider, Famous at a Crook, Under Arrest in Chicago—Has Escaped Many Times in Years Gone By.

Chicago, July 16.—John H. Strosnider, known as the "king of con men," is under conviction in Chicago and the police of many large cities of the United States and Canada are hopeful that he will soon be behind prison bars. Strosnider has been arrested times without number and has been convicted on more than one occasion. But, with the exception of a short sentence in a New Jersey prison, he has never served time so far as known. To avoid wearing stripes he has been known to forfeit cash bail of \$25,000.

Strosnider, or "Big Lem," as he is familiarly known to the police, is one of the "top notch" confidence men of America, and he has seldom made pretensions of being anything else. The only defence he has ever made is that he never swindled a man who was not trying to swindle him or someone else. His home is in the east, though his operations have extended to nearly all parts of the United States and Canada. With his wife and a valet, he lived until quite recently in a beautiful home in Flatbush, L. I., and by his aristocratic neighbors was supposed to be a wealthy broker.

Specialty was Wire Tapping. "Big Lem" has always played for high stakes. His specialty has been the so-called wire tapping game. In 1905 he was arrested in the home of a wealthy physician residing on Riverside Drive, in New York city, on a charge of swindling the physician out of \$12,500 in a fake gambling game. The charge was never pressed, but Mrs. Strosnider gave a deed for some property which she later made an unsuccessful attempt to recover.

In court Strosnider told with much self satisfaction how he had "trimmed" the physician. He said he had first met the latter in Paris. After returning to New York he introduced the physician to a man named McKee, who was represented as being sore at the gambling syndicate

and as one who would deal faro so the player could not lose. McKee and Strosnider rented a gambling house in Thirty-first street, New York city, for \$250 for the night and hired twenty men to stand around as players. As Strosnider and the physician were going into the house they were warned by a policeman that it was a gambling house.

"The policeman was the only real thing about the game," Strosnider explained to the court, and then he told how the physician lost \$10,000 and he lost \$19,000 and McKee had it all. In answer to a question from the judge as to whether he had intended to victimize the physician, "Big Lem" said:

"Sure. I intended to take the man's money. You see, the men in the business, I follow don't call it a crime to trim an easy mark. He was out to trim me if he could, and he was welcomed to do it if he could. Instead I trimmed him and trimmed him good."

In 1910 Strosnider was arrested in connection with the theft of \$180,000 from the National City Bank of Cambridge, Mass. The money was embezzled by a young bank clerk named George W. Coleman, who is now in prison. Coleman told on the stand how he had lost nearly all of the stolen money in fake faro games in New York. Strosnider was charged with being an accessory before the fact of the larcenies committed by Coleman. He furnished bail to the amount of \$10,000 and so far as is known no further proceedings were taken in the matter.

Charged With Swindling Banker.

About a year ago Strosnider again came into the limelight by working the wire tapping swindle in Providence, R. I. His victim was Samuel Butter, a junk dealer of Roxbury, Mass., whom he deceived to Providence by stating that he had a lot of wire to sell. When Butter returned home he was minus \$7,500, which he had lost in a fake pool room.

The offense for which "Big Lem" is now under conviction here was the swindling of Dr. William T. Kirby out of \$20,000 by the wire tapping game. Dr. Kirby conducted a small

private bank which failed some time ago. After the failure Dr. Kirby and his wife were arrested on a charge of "holding out" \$20,000 of the funds of the bank. Dr. Kirby declared in court that he had lost the money to "wire tappers." The story he told of how he had been fleeced seemed so absurd and incredible that Judge Landis, who was trying the case, practically accused the banker and his lawyers of framing up the story in order to defraud the depositors. But the police investigation disclosed the fact that Dr. Kirby in reality had fallen a victim to the smooth Mr. Strosnider. Some time later "Big Lem" was arrested in Montreal. After a hard fight against extradition he was returned to Chicago, tried and convicted.

RELIGIOUS LIBERALS.

Paris, July 16.—The International Congress of Free Christianity and Religious Progress, attended by prominent ministers and distinguished liberal religious workers from all over the world, opened its sixth triennial session in Paris today, and for a week will hold a series of meetings in the Oratoire du Louvre, the Foyer de l'ame and other places of assembly. The meeting is the first that the congress has held in France, its previous sessions having been in London, Amsterdam, Geneva, Boston, Cambridge and Berlin.

Numbered among the speakers who are to take part in the present meeting are men of distinction from India, Japan, Germany, Denmark, Canada, the United States and other countries, while such well known men as Sir Henry James, Dr. David Starr Jordan, Pastor Charles Wagner, Prof. Rudolf Eucken, Henri Bergson and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise will also contribute to the program.

His Indigestion Cured at Last.

After spending hundreds of dollars for medicine and treatment for indigestion and constipation with only temporary relief, C. H. Hines, of Whitlow, Ark., was permanently cured by Chamberlain's Tablets. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

DURBIN.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Scott, on Sunday, July 13, a daughter; 5th child.

Mrs. Alice Cooper of Marshall, Mo., and Mrs. Mary E. Crouse of Murrayville visited Mrs. Fanny Kirley last week.

Miss Annie Scott spent part of last week with Mrs. Samuel Darley. Mr. and Mrs. Houser of Palmyra visited their daughter, Mrs. Richard Oxley, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. William Murphy of Springfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. Brown.

Miss Maggie Boston of Lynville is spending a few days with Miss Rhoda Scott.

Misses June Fee of Jacksonville and Katherine Kittle of Franklin spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ruth Elroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Jacksonville are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Jones.

Mrs. Willie Rawlings has been ill. Miss Etta Robson is spending her vacation at the home of her mother.

Franklin precinct will hold a Sunday school convention Sunday, July 20, at 2:30 p. m., in Franklin park. Durbin Sunday school will have a picnic supper at the church Thursday evening after which Hon. H. H. Bancroft of Jacksonville will speak, under the auspices of the Sunday School Social Chautauqua.

Mrs. Wright Turner and children, who have been visiting Mrs. David Rawlings for several weeks, returned to their home in San Jose, Cal., last week.

Providence Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Wm. Criswell in Franklin Thursday afternoon.

The Girls' Needle club of this place met with Miss Katharine Kettle last Thursday.

Improve Your Complexion.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver and by constipation. Take Chamberlain's Tablets and you will improve them both. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

AYERS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

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"THE REAL ISSUE."

On the question of the "School Funds" now in the hands of the city's treasurer it is not question of "interest" on the money. The people did not pay this amount of taxes for a money lending proposition, it was to be used immediately for the purpose of building a school building which it was stated was absolutely necessary and immediately required for the youth of our city attending this school.

The members of the board of education have from time to time uttered this statement and have declared that the crowded condition of the present "high school building" made it impossible to carry on the school work as it should be done, now if this be true and I assume that it is a fact, why is not this money immediately spent for the building of a building that will relieve this situation, and remove the handicap from the youth of our city who have only the present in which to secure the advantage of public education.

I agree with Dr. Clampt we should build some for the future. This is nothing less than economy, the present one with its recent additions is the most beautiful building site in our city and if we as a people wish to exemplify that higher education which is so frequently referred to as typical of our citizenship we cannot afford to make any mistake in the character of the building which is erected. Who knows for sure what the proposed building will cost? No bids were received or prices made public; if the plans are more costly than the funds justify at the present modify them, but get busy and build the building.

If these funds were loaned for six months at 3 per cent rate they would increase \$820.04. Now if the building is built the laboring people of our city will receive in exchange for their labor on the basis of the present amount of money on hand the sum of \$20,000, which they will circulate in this community and I submit which of the two propositions are of greatest public importance.

There never was time in the history of our city when building trades were in need of employment than at the present time. If you want to help the laboring man "he needs it now." This money spent for a building will accrue more help and profit to this community than hiding it away for a few paltry pennies. Give the honest laboring man of our city a chance to earn enough to send perhaps his boy or girl to school another year and at least support his family to the extent that he may work on this building. The best building season is now on hand; plenty of time remains between now and unfavorable weather to enclose this building.

The taxpayers of this city have cheerfully advanced this fund. The school children need the building.

The school board has the money. The laboring men of this city need the employment. There is no room here for petty arguments; every reason points in the one direction—"Get Busy and Build the Building."

Taxpayer.

AUTOISTS IN INDIANAPOLIS.

Word has been received from Dr. J. W. Haigrove and his party, stating that they reached Indianapolis Wednesday. The party consists of Dr. Haigrove, Frank Leach, William Deppe and Louis Frank, is making an automobile trip from this city to Boston, Mass., and Hanover, Nt., in Dr. Haigrove's car.

FOR SALE.

160 acres, 5 1-2 miles southeast of Murraville. 129 acres 2 1-2 miles north of Murraville. 53 acres 7 1-2 miles southwest of Jacksonville. On easy payments, 5 years time. Apply to W. T. Dodds, Franklin, Ill., R. R. No. 3.

SUPT. FURR TO LEAVE JACKSONVILLE POSITION

IS APPOINTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN FACULTY OF CARBONDALE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Selected For Position Because of Training and Successful Work—Will Be Superintendent of Model School Conducted As Part of the Normal Work—Miss Emma Thornborrow Also Appointed to Position.

According to a despatch from Carbondale Supt. W. A. Furr of this city has been appointed superintendent of the model school, conducted in connection with the state normal at Carbondale. The board has also appointed Miss Emma Thornborrow of this city teacher of shorthand and typewriting, establishing a new department. Mr. Furr's position pays a salary of \$2,500 with a chance for advancement. He is now at Indian River, Mich., and a statement from him could be secured last night but it is supposed that he will at once send his resignation to the Jacksonville board of education.

In Jacksonville Seven Years. Mr. Furr came to Jacksonville seven years ago from Ottawa where he had served acceptably as superintendent of the schools. His work here has been of a high class and he has done much toward the upbuilding of the school system. He is an institute worker of large experience and his services have been in demand in a number of counties in this and other states. Mr. Furr finished a course at Indiana state normal when that school was doing its very best work and subsequently he took special work at the University of Indiana. His going will be a loss to Jacksonville and his family too will be missed by a large circle of friends.

It is understood that Dr. Shryock president of the school had authority to select someone for the position to which Mr. Furr has been appointed and that he based his selection upon the training Mr. Furr has had and the successful work done.

Work of the Model School. At the model school of the Carbondale normal the work of the eighth grades and the first two years of the high school are conducted, each grade being in charge of a critic teacher who supervises the work of the teacher students. Mr. Furr will be in general charge of the ten grades of this school, the critic teachers and the teacher student serving under him. About three hundred children attend the various grades.

Miss Thornborrow's appointment comes as a recognition of her proficiency in her special line of teaching. She has done excellent work in the Jacksonville business college and in the high school.

First Applicant, Here. Five changes in the faculty of the Carbondale school were made and one of the men who lost his position in account of the changes made was E. M. Davis who has been a teacher here for the past sixteen years. Knowing of the vacancy to occur here Mr. Davis arrived in Jacksonville yesterday and today will talk to board members with a view to filling an application. Mr. Davis is a graduate of Washburn college and has had a large experience in educational work. Prior to going to the normal school he served as a school superintendent and was for two years an instructor at Blackburn university. His work at the normal school was of very high class and he was not removed because of any dissatisfaction with his record. He has had twenty-seven years experience as an institute worker. The trustees needed the position for another man. Mr. Davis has strong recommendations from Dr. David Feinley, Dr. J. W. Cook, Dr. Shryock and other educators and citizens of prominence. The Jacksonville board will no doubt give his application serious consideration and it is also true that the board will likely receive a vast number of other applications.

DENTAL THIEVES AT WORK.

Chief of Police Receives Word of Extensive Operations in Northern Illinois Cities.

Six dentists of Kankakee were robbed of gold to the value of \$400 recently according to a letter of warning sent to Chief Davis by a Kankakee dentist, Dr. E. B. Croxon. The same letter told of the operations of a similar gang in Joliet where thieves entered the offices of fourteen dentists. Although thefts of this kind have not been recently committed in Jacksonville, it would be well for local dentists to remember the warning and take every precaution to forestall any such attempts in this city.

EXAMINATION FOR WOODSON POSTMASTERSHIP

August 9 has been settled upon by the U. S. civil service commission as the date for the examination at Jacksonville of applicants for the postmastership at Woodson. Those who take the examination must be at least 21 years of age and must be well known to the territory supplied by the postoffice. Further information may be received from the postmaster at Woodson, the local secretary at Jacksonville or from the U. S. civil service commission at Washington.

The compensation for the postmaster of this office was for the last fiscal year \$454.

ELITE CLUB MET.

A meeting of the Elite club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Grace McCarty, where the usual program of the club was carried out. The club meets once a month.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE'S JULY CLEARANCE SALE!

Our clearing this year must be more complete than ever before, as in our new location our New Fall Goods will require every inch of space available. The reductions are noticeable on all the necessary and staple articles, while the novelties have been radically reduced.

20 Per Cent Discount

Clearing prices on Silk Gloves, Corsets, Corset accessories, Hair Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Hosiery and Underwear.

A last price of \$25 is being made on the Free Sewing Machine. Any part guaranteed and replaced free of charge.

Clearance of Piece Goods

36 in. Mercerized Silk, all colors..... 89c
36 in. Percales, yd..... 8c
At 10c—All of the broken lots of Wash Goods, including Lawns, Batistes, Dimities, Crepes and Gingham. Clearance price, yd..... 10c

5 dozen Gingham Dresses for street wear; values up to \$3, are now..... \$1.50

At 25 Cents

Brocaded Silk and Mercerized Cotton Mixtures, worth 50c yd, for..... 25c

Clearance in the Garment Dept.

Mercerized Dresses—tan, blue, cataba and pink; one of our choicest sellers this season, are now \$3.95

Linen Suits are now \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95.

White Serge Skirts, Dresses and Coats are now one-half price.

About 50 outside Skirts are now \$2.95

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE



A Healthful Play Room For the Children

Here in the shaded seclusion of your own porch, the children may enjoy the pure, fresh air without the discomforts of wind or sun.

AEROLUX--NO WHIP--PORCH SHADES

Do not flap in any wind. They are impervious to ordinary weather conditions. Their variety of delicate tones improve any porch or veranda.

WHY BE DENIED THE PLEASURE OF A PERFECT SHADY RETREAT?

They cost but little and being made of wood last for years and years. Call and see our display or a telephone call will bring the "Aerolux" man, who will show you color samples, and then if you wish, take the measurements of your porch.

JOHNSON, HACKETT & GUTHRIE

Floreth's Clearing Sale

DOWN lower go the prices for this week's selling, and nothing shall prevent us from clearing out this large stock of spring and summer goods. If we had more room we could mention more items; but this will give you some idea what you can expect when you come here this week.

Cotton Wash Goods

19c for Wash Dress Goods, Voiles of all kinds, Tub Silks, Silk Mulls, etc., always sell in this store for 25c.
19c for 32-inch Fine Scotch Zephyr Gingham. Were 25c
10c for Dress Gingham, always sell at 12 1/2c.
5c for 6 1/2c Apron Gingham.
8c for 32-inch Percales, regular 10c kind.
8 1-3c for 10c Fine Sheet.
5c for best Standard Calicoes.

Embroidery Clearing

25c for 27-inch Embroidered Flouncing, always sell for 35c.
39c for 45-inch Embroidered Flouncing, always sell for 75c.
\$1.00 for \$1.35 45-inch Flouncing.
\$1.25 for \$2.00 45-inch Flouncing.
\$1.50 for \$2.25 45-inch Flouncing.

Women's Dresses

\$6.50 White Lawn Dresses, trimmed with Lace and Insertion, now for \$3.75
\$3.50 Women's White Dresses \$2.00
\$2.00 Women's Gingham Dresses, nicely trimmed about neck and sleeves, look like much more expensive dresses; clearance price \$1.19
\$2.50 Linen Colored Dresses \$1.50

White Cotton Dress Skirts

\$1.50 White Corduroy Skirts, clearing sale..... \$1.25
\$1.25 White Duck Skirts, clearing sale..... \$1.00

White Shirt Waists

\$2.50 Ladies' Voile Waists, clearing at \$1.75
\$3.50 Ladies' Voile Waists, clearing at \$2.75
\$4.50 Ladies' Voile Waists, clearing at \$3.50
\$1.00 Ladies' Lawn Waists, clearing at 85c
50c Ladies' Lawn Waists, clearing at 40c

Curtain Material Clearing

35c and 40c grades now are 25c
25c grades now are 19c
20c grades now are 16c

Millinery Clearing

To make a sure clean up of our spring and summer. Millinery we have selected from our stock of trimmed hats about 50 late style hats that formerly sold from \$4.00 to \$8.00. You can have your choice of the lot next week for \$1.00 each. See display in our front window.

Other hats at \$2.50 to \$10.00 now that are worth more than twice the price.

Don't Forget It's Clearing Sale Week Now at

FLORETH'S

HOPPER'S

Annual Clean-up Sale of Low Shoes Is Now On.

\$2.50

Special lot for men and women, good styles and sizes. See our windows; there are great bargains you will be convinced

\$1.00

Your foot narrow? We have narrow widths in ladies' low shoes that we close out now.

\$1.50

Special lot of narrow widths to clean up all leathers while they last.

25c

Some very small sizes that we close out. Help yourself.

SALE PRICES STRICTLY CASH

MATRIMONIAL

Kirkbach-Ferguson.

A marriage license was issued recently in Decatur to Joseph L. Kirkbach of Carrollton and Martha C. Ferguson of Decatur.

Clarkson-Smith.

Friends in the city have received news of the marriage of Mr. George Clarkson and Miss Sue Smith, which took place Tuesday morning at 6:30 o'clock in Cleveland, Ohio. The young people are former residents of Jacksonville and well known here. The bride formerly conducted a millinery store on the west side of the square and recently has had charge of the millinery department of the Addison Cloth Co., of Cleveland, Ohio. The groom is a former instructor in Routt college but is now engaged in the railroad business, with headquarters in Pittsburgh, where they will make their home.

GET HERMAN'S BARGAIN PRICES RIGHT NOW ON CLOTH SUITS, SUMMER WASH SUITS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, WAISTS AND MILLINERY.

LEAVE FOR OUTING.

Misses Rose and Elizabeth Zellar of Alexander and Miss Barbara Schirz expect to leave this morning for Quiver Beach at Havana where they will spend two weeks at "Seldom Inn" cottage. Others who will make up the party are: Misses Imogene Talbott, Nella Green, Catherine Sherman and Gertrude Talbott of Peoria, Misses Jane Robertson and Vanna Wynd of Bloomington, Miss Nora Rock of Petersburg, Miss Marie Thompson of Lincoln and Miss Gertrude Crimman of Ivesdale. They will be chaperoned by Mrs. Mae Parkinson of Springfield.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The remains of Mrs. Lydia Froh-witter were sent to Bluffs Wednesday morning at 7:06 o'clock via the Wabash. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Rev. Mr. Peak. Interment will be made in the Hodge cemetery near Bluffs.

WILL ADDRESS ODD FELLOWS.

H. H. Bancroft expects to go to Peori Friday where he will give an address at an Odd Fellows picnic Friday afternoon. The picnic is a part of a three days celebration which commences today.

CLUB WILL NOT MEET.

The Social Domestic Science club which was to have met Friday with Mrs. Moore will be postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Earl Briscoe.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Fred Blackburn, Winchester. Florence Temple, Winchester.

MORTUARY

Liter.

Mrs. George T. Liter died at her home in Litterberry Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. Her illness was very brief, as she was taken down only last Saturday, but she bore up with a patient resignation in keeping with her noble christian character.

Anna Eliza Stevenson was born in Litterberry May 14, 1845, the daughter of James and Mary Stevenson. Her father was an early resident of Kentucky. She was married to George T. Liter in 1865. The children whom survive her are Mrs. Hattie Norman of Jacksonville, Mrs. F. E. Young of Litterberry and J. G. Liter of Clinton, Okla. One son, Charles Edward, and a daughter, Nellie May, preceded her in death. She is survived also by her husband, two sisters and one brother. Her brother, Henry Stevenson, resides in Jacksonville, as does one of the sisters, Mrs. Hattie Henderson. Her other sister, Mrs. Fannie White, lives in Beards town. Mrs. Liter was a member of the Baptist church, of which she was an enduring and devoted member.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Friday from the Baptist church at Litterberry. Rev. Mr. Dickman, the pastor of the church, will be in charge.

Hutchison.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Hutchison was conducted Wednesday from the family residence in Lincoln. Mrs. Hutchison's maiden name was Margaret Paschall and she was born September 18, 1831, at Virginia, Ill. She married Rev. Alexander Hutchison in 1850 and they were the parents of eight children, six dying in infancy. In 1868 the family moved to Lincoln. Rev. Mr. Hutchison died in 1884. Besides the wife, two daughters survive, Mrs. James E. Jewell of Lincoln and Mrs. Jennie Brown of Ontario, Calif. Two brothers also survive, W. H. Paschall and S. T. Paschall; also one sister, Mrs. Rachel Peters of Chapin, Ill.

Miss Elizabeth Brewer, who is employed at the State School for the Blind received a telephone message Wednesday announcing the death of her brother Oscar Brewer, who passed away Tuesday evening. No particulars were given of his death. He formerly resided in Versailles, Ill. He is survived by a widow, two children, two sister, Mrs. Edward Perry of Mt. Sterling and Mrs. Edward Logsdon of Versailles and two brothers, Edgar of Chapin and Albert of Chicago. Miss Brewer will go to Kewanee to day to attend the funeral services.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida May Briscoe were held at the late residence, 139 East Wolcott street, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of Rev. Mr. Shaw. Music was

furnished by Miss Etta Stewart, Miss Alberta O'Leary, Miss Rose Page and M. S. Stewart and Mrs. Pauline Moore.

Interment was made in Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were: Charles Jackson, Sherman Mounts, Levi Postley, James Matthews, Ellis Moore and Jacob Davis.

Rogers.

The funeral of Mrs. Cecil L. Rogers took place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from the family residence in Waverly, Rev. R. L. Waits officiating, assisted by Rev. A. N. Bunton. Interment was made in the East cemetery. Mrs. Rogers was 54 years of age and is survived by her husband, three daughters, Anna, Ibez and Hildegarde and one son, Newton, all of Waverly.

MARRIED 28 YEARS; LIVED TOGETHER ONE YEAR
After being married twenty-eight years ago and living with her spouse but one year, Sarah Durling died a suit in the Sangamon county court Tuesday against her husband, Calvin P. Durling. Mrs. Durling stated that she had not seen her husband for 25 years. The couple were married Jan. 21, 1855 at Green, view and lived together until Feb. 1, 1866 when the wife alleges her husband left her and never returned. There was one daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Koenig, aged 26 years.

GET HERMAN'S BARGAIN PRICES RIGHT NOW ON CLOTH SUITS, SUMMER WASH SUITS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, WAISTS AND MILLINERY.

C. B. & Q. IS RECONSTRUCTING BEARDSTOWN DEPOT

Better Accommodations For the Public Will Be Secured—Other Improvements Along Line.
Work has been begun on the reconstruction of the "Q" depot at Beardstown according to a plan which will mean much larger waiting rooms and more convenience and accommodations to the public. The men's waiting room will be down stairs in a space formerly used as office rooms. The new ladies waiting room will include the space heretofore occupied by both waiting rooms and the ticket office. The kind of such an improvement has been apparent for several years especially in winter when the depot was never large enough to accommodate the crowds.

Other cities which have had stations improved or rebuilt are Canton, Macomb and Monmouth. Bushnell is among the cities unremembered in the appropriations, most likely on account of the trouble between that city and the railroad the past year and the several law suits which the city has brought against the road.

RESIDENTS COMPLAIN OF FAST DRIVING

A resident along Hardin avenue stated yesterday that he feared some bad accident would occur along the street, if parties did not indulge less in horse racing. He stated that last Sunday night three horses abreast were coming down the street at such a rapid rate that people held their breath. A lady in a rig, who attempted to get out of their way, fell on the curb and was painfully bruised. Residents along South East street, also state that the street is traversed by motorcyclists, who have no regard for the law, as to speeding. The police are on the lookout for the offenders and no effort will be spared to apprehend the guilty parties.

SEEKS STATE APPOINTMENT.

J. W. Hubble of this city has entered the lists as a candidate for the position of Illinois insurance commissioner and is understood to have some strong backing. Mr. Hubble was for years state agent for the Liverpool, London & Globe insurance company of the state of Illinois. He has had wide experience in the insurance business and is fitted for the post he is seeking.

GOLF LINKS SEEM ASSURED.

The committee interested in the establishment of golf links at Nichols park has secured practically enough subscriptions to make it certain that a course will be laid out soon at Nichols park. The plan followed has been to secure a large enough fund to pay for laying out the course and for maintenance for two months.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary J. Andrews to B. C. Andrews part lot 4, block 9, city addition to Jacksonville; \$1.

GAVE PIANO RECITAL

Splendid Program Given By Pupils of Miss M. Barbara Schirz At Her Home East of the City.

A piano recital by pupils of Miss M. Barbara Schirz was given Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at her residence east of the city. A number of the parents and friends of the young people were present and the program was one of merit throughout. Each student played from memory and reflected great credit, not only upon themselves but upon their instructor.

The following was the program:
Waltz Wohlfahrt

Harold White
Miss Barbara Schirz.

Waltz—Dream Fairies Duelle
Margaret Grant.

(a) Tarantella Lee
(b) Polietta in F Oscar Russ
Frances Moy.

(a) March Louis
(b) Etude—Op. 63, No. 11 Streabogg
Allen Smith.

Mazurka Webb
Loyola Dowling.

Little Waves Orth
Margaret Kelley.

(a) Logs Guritt
(b) Dancing Spirits Bohm
Mary Clancy.

From The Tyrol Heins
Harold Craig.

(a) Etude—Op. 64, No. 4 Streabogg
(b) Gretchen's Dance Linn
Frances Dowling.

(a) Tarantelle Nicola S. Calamara
Agnes Keating.

(b) March—Militaire Bohm
Agnes Keating.

Miss Barbara Schirz.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends for the kindness during the sickness and after the death of our wife and mother and for the many flowers.

W. B. Briscoe,
Paul Briscoe,
Earl Briscoe.

MASONIC NOTICE.
Jacksonville Lodge
No. 570, A. F. & A. M.
will hold a stated
meeting tonight at
7:30 for business and
work. Visiting brethren welcome.

Warren Case, W. M.
E. L. Kinney, Sec'y.

HELD SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL.

A successful ice cream social was held by the ladies of Trinity guild on the lawn of Trinity Episcopal church Wednesday evening. The delicious cream was so well enjoyed on the occasion of so hot an evening that the supply was sold out by the time customers ceased to come. A number of the younger ladies of the church assisted the members of the guild as waitresses at the tables. The ladies in charge were Mrs. A. D. Brackett, president of the guild; Mrs. U. G. Woodman and Mrs. A. W. Cox.

CHAPIN.

Union services were held at the Christian church Sunday night. Rev. Frederic Baylis of the M. P. church gave his stereopticon lecture of the Philippine Islands. Services were held on the lawn and a large audience was in attendance.

Miss Paucher of Aurora, who has been visiting Rev. C. D. Hougham and family, was called home by telegram Saturday announcing the death of her sister-in-law.

Gleaner class No. 9 will give an ice cream social on the Christian church lawn next Saturday night.

Union services of the M. P. and Christian churches will be held on the lawn at the M. P. church next Sunday night. Sermon by Rev. C. D. Hougham, pastor of the Christian church.

A representative of the Anti-Saloon league will speak at the Christian church next Sunday morning at 10:45.

Dr. F. M. Roberts and daughter, Bertha, and son, Donald, returned last Saturday from Cincinnati, Ohio, where they have been visiting relatives and friends for the past three weeks.

Dr. Thompson of Hillsopolis, who was the guest of Rev. Frederic Baylis, was present at the union services Sunday night and sang the Holy City, which was well rendered and appreciated by all present.

The barber, Frank Smith, and wife and daughter have gone to Missouri for a month's vacation.

Allen Taylor and sister, Neta, took advantage of the Wabash excursion last Saturday and went to Chicago to visit their sister, Edna Hallowell.

Robert Wallace and wife have gone to Hot Springs, Ark., for a six weeks' stay.

Harold Woodward and wife were in Peoria over Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. E. Brewer and son, Earl, formerly residents of Chapin but now living at Little Rock, Ark., are home for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Hougham and daughter, Lucile, left Tuesday morning for Saybrook, Ill., for a month's visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Coultas was visiting in Riggs last Sunday.

Miss Elsie Lovell of Peoria is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. F. E. Blair.

GOOD WHEAT IN MISSOURI.

Joseph Pine has received a good report from his Missouri farm. He had forty-eight acres of wheat there this season and on ten acres the average was 26 bushels. For the remainder of the field the average was 23 1-2 bushels.

TO SPEND MONTH IN COLORADO.

Misses Lucy, Grace and Maude Mount, Mrs. L. A. Frost and Miss Mabel Kendrick left last night for Denver, and other Colorado points. They expect to be out of the city for a month.

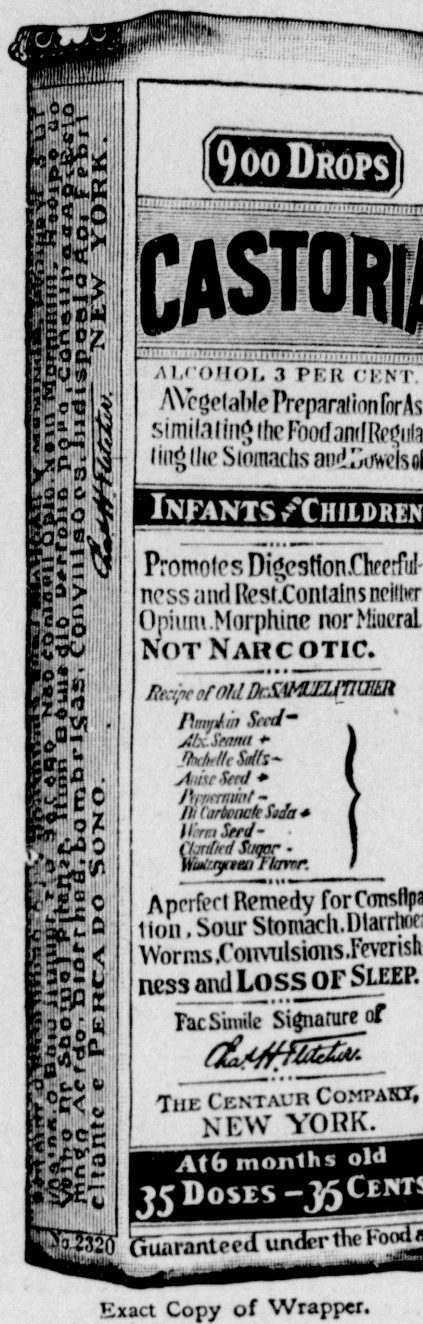
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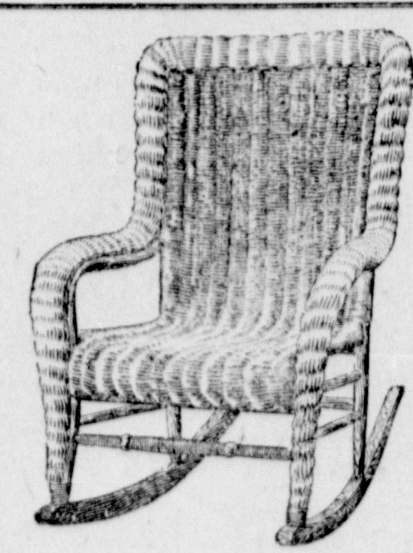
Including Hammocks, Porch Rockers, Ice Cream Freezers, Taborette, Porch Chairs, Refrigerators, Porch Rugs, Summer Draperies, Etc.

We never lose sight of quality in our quest for low prices, and you may rest assured that our bargains are not inferior qualities at bargain prices, but superior qualities at prices as low as is consistent with high grade goods.

During this week we are offering some extra specials in summer goods. Here are a few listed at prices we are sure should appeal to you:



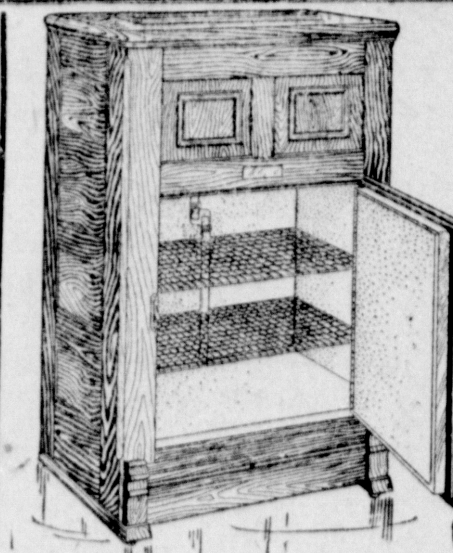
This porch chair seat and back of canvass well constructed, adjustable in any position. Regular price \$1.75 This week \$1.35



Kaitax porch rocker, like cut, finished in Baronial and green. Absolutely guaranteed waterproof. Valued at \$4.50. This week a special \$3.45



Ice Cream Freezer like cut, in two quart size. Made of extra heavy tin, this week special at 59c



Cold Storage Refrigerators, in many different styles and sizes. Perfectly sanitary, cleansable flues. Constructed with sanitary glass trap. One of the champions among housewives. Discounted this week 10 per cent

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This Coupon Is Worth **25c** Cash To You

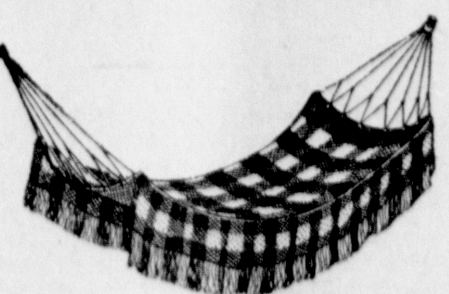
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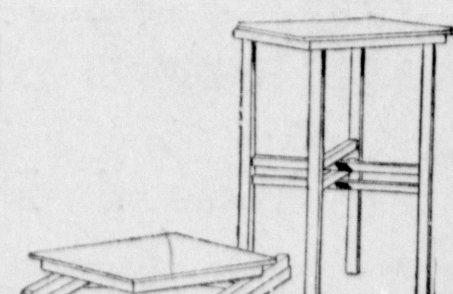


Lacrosse hand made hammock in different colors. Greatest hammock today on the market for comfort and durability. Reduced in price this week 10 per cent

REMNANT SALE

Remnants of Nottingham, Fllet, and English nets, Etamine, Basile, Colonial Serims, Madras, Plainswiss, Ecru Swiss, and many other remnants from four yards up to ten yards, at one-half price.

Remnants of China Japanese and Fiber matting, ranging in lengths from two to twelve yards. Oilcloth, and Linoleum ranging from one to eight square yards, anything in the remnant line we are discounting this week 50 per cent. If you could use any of the above in lengths as specified, these reductions should be of interest to you.



This Taborette finished Early English. Very durable and suitable for porch use. An extra special each 35c

Japanese Straw Porch Mats

6 for 25c

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Porch Rugs

In any size. 9x12 special priced this week \$7.45 at